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Arrivals.

Feb. 9, JOHANNA, Dan. bq., 156, Christiansen, Chefoo, 31st Jan., Beans, &c.—SCHELLHASS & Co.

Feb. 9, PENANG, Amer. bq., 583, Patten, Rangoon, 5th Dec., Singapore, 1st January, Rice.—SIEMSSEN & Co.

Feb. 10, RAPID, Siam, bq., 429, B. Carlos, Chefoo, 2nd February, General.—CHINSER.

Departures.

Feb. 9, RESOLUTION, for Bangkok.

Feb. 9, KIM YUNG TAI, for do.

Feb. 9, ST. THOMAS, for Singapore.

Clearances.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, FEBRUARY 9th, 1866.

Ingeborg, for Tientsin.

Ta-yang-nyo, str., for Canton.

Nuchof, for Saigon.

Passengers.

Per str., "Lightning" from Singapore.
Mr. Hynin Cassir, and 16 deck.

Per "Penang" from Singapore.
Sterling M. Thomas.

Per "Johanna" from Chefoo.
Mr. Lanstera.

Reports.

The American barque *Penang*, 38 days from Singapore by Eastern Passage reports that on 11th January, exchanged signals with British barque *Macassar* 15 days from Singapore for Hongkong. January, 14th in company with British ships *Sunstra* and *Anna Longton* in the Straits of Manilar.

The Danish brig *Johanna* reports that on the 6th of February, picked up two Fishermen from a sunken sampan, about 50 miles abreast of Amoy.

MACAO SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Feb. 2, S. Vicente Ferreira, from Hongkong
4, Hartford, from New York.
3, Queen of the Age, from Whampoa
5, Trio, from Penang
5, Tek Li, from do
6, Wyoming, str., from Hongkong

DEPARTURES.

Feb. 1, Baron Killner, for Havana
1, Oarl, for Callao de Lima
1, Iris, for Hamburg
3, Companhia Maritima del Peru No. 2, for Callao de Lima
3, Victoria, for London
6, Ellen Radford, for Saigon
6, S. Joss, for Singapore
7, Antoinette, for Havana
7, Mousse de Nantes, for Havana

WHAMPOA SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Feb. 6, South Western, str., from Hongkong
6, S.S. Alphee, from do
7, J. H. Willis Jr., from do
7, Lizzie, from do
7, Etienne, from do
8, Eastward Ho, from do
9, Uetis, from do

DEPARTURES.

Feb. 8, Perpetua, for Tientsin
8, S.S. Ta pang-nyo, for Hongkong.

Auction Sales To-day.

THOS. HUNT & Co.
Sundry Articles.

RAY & Co.
Sundry Articles.

LAMMERT ATKINSON & Co.
Land.

BOWRA & Co.
Jewellery, &c.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

STEAM-TUG "LITTLE ORPHAN"

THIS Powerful Tug is available at any time to Hoist Vessels to this Harbour, or to Tow them to or from Sea.
For particulars, apply to the Captain on board or to J. B. ENDICOTT, *Secretary.*
2566 Hongkong, 12th October, 1865.

STEAM-TUG "PAMPA."

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK Co'

STEAM TUG, 110 *H. P.* NOMINAL, *With Disconnecting Engines.*

THIS powerful TUG is available at any moment to hoist Vessels in Harbour, or Tow them to or from Sea—at low Rates.

For particulars, apply to the Captain on board or to D. LAPRAIK, *Secretary.*

Hongkong, 2nd April, 1864.

STEAM-TUG "TAYUING"

THIS Powerful Tug will always be available for hoisting Vessels in the Harbour, or for towing them to or from sea.

Her Anchorage will be near the House Street, Jetty.

Apply to Captain On Board, or to RUSSELL & Co.
if 2627 Hongkong, 7th June, 1865.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING COMPANY LIMITED.

Subscribed Capital—5,000,000 of Dollars.

Court of Directors:—

Chairman—HON. FRANCIS CHOMLEY, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—Hon. THOS. SHEWARD ARD, Esq.
Alex. F. Heard, Esq. | Geo. F. Maclean, Esq.
Geo. J. Helland, Esq. | W. Nissen, Esq.
Douglas Lapraik, Esq. | Pallanjee Framjee, Esq.
H. B. Lemann, Esq. | Arthur Sassoon, Esq.

Managers:—
Hongkong—Victor Kresser, Esq.
Shanghai—David Maclean, Esq.

HONGKONG BRANCH:—

This Bank has this day commenced business in Hongkong, and is now open to discount Bills and grant Credits on approved Banking Securities.

Current Accounts are kept and interest allowed at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the minimum monthly balances.

Money deposits received for fixed periods at the following rates of interest:—
For 3 Months—3 per cent. per annum.
6 do —5 do do
12 do —6 do do

In addition to the above fixed rates of interest the Company has adopted the principle of setting aside a certain portion of its yearly profits to be given as a bonus on the balances employed by the Bank. Customers keeping Current Accounts and Depositors will participate equally in respect of such Bonus, whether shareholders in the Company or not.

The Company grants Drafts and negotiate Bills of Exchange on London and the chief commercial places of Europe, India, Australia, America and China.

VICTOR KRESSER, Manager.

Offices of the Company
Wardley House No. 1, Queen's Road.
March 3, 1865. if 555

Banks.

THE BANK of HINDUSTAN, CHINA and JAPAN (Limited).

Capital, Four Millions Sterling.
In 40,000 Shares of £100 each of which, only £25 is to be called up.
Called up £1,000,000.
Paid up, £981,000.
Reserved Fund, £100,000.

Head Office, No. 1 Bank Buildings, E.C. London.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman.—JAMES NUGENT DANIELL, Esq.
Deputy Chairman.—RICHARD SPOONER, Esq.

Frederick William Baring, Esq. | J. Maxwell Smith, Esq.
Thomas Cotterell, Esq. | Saccoba David Sassoon, Esq.
Philip Shaw Fletcher, Esq. | The Hon. J. F. H. Stuart Worley.
Lieut. Colonel French. | Henry Young, Esq.
Wm. Harrison, Esq.
James Lorch, Esq.

GENERAL MANAGER.—John Quasley, Esq.
Secretary.—R. Swire Tomlin, Esq.

BANKERS:
The Bank of England.
The National Bank.
The Alliance Bank (Limited.)

In Scotland, The National Bank of Scotland. In Ireland, The National Bank of Ireland.

Branches and Agencies.

Bombay, Calcutta, Colombo, Kandy, Shanghai, Yokohama, Singapore, Point de Galle, Manila, Foochow, Ningpo, Hankow, Nagasaki, and Kiukiang.

Banking.

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS are kept, and interest allowed, until further notice, at the rate of 2 *per cent. per annum* on all daily balances, not exceeding $15,000; but special arrangements may be made, if desired, for balances above that amount.

Fixed Deposits of money will be received at the following rates of interest, viz.,
For 3 months *or* six at 4½ per cent per Annum
" 2 do. do. 4 do. do.
" 1 do. do. 3½ do. do.
and for longer periods according to arrangement.

Approved Local Bills are discounted and Advances made upon Bullion, and Bonds not of a perishable nature.

Exchange.

The Bank purchases Bills on Europe, India, China, Japan and Australia, and issues Drafts on England on the Bank of England the National Bank and the Alliance Bank, Limited; and on the various Branches and Agencies of the Bank in India, China Japan and Australia, at the current rates of the day.

Office Hours 10 to 3. Saturday, 10 to 1.

Any further information can be obtained on application to the Manager.

ARCHIBALD STEWART, *Manager.*
if 2064 Hongkong, 10th February, 1865.

THE ASIATIC BANKING CORPORATION

Incorporated by Royal Charter.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.—£500,000
WITH POWER TO INCREASE TO £2,000,000
(Two Crores of Rupees).
Capital called up, £420,000

Head Office—No. 4, Lombard Street, London.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

F. Baykett, Esq., *Chairman*, (Messrs. Timothy Wiggins & Co.)
J. A. Roxwell, Esq., *Deputy-Chairman*, (Messrs. Grey and Coles, London and Grey & Co., Bombay).
Thomas Cardwell, Esq., Messrs. Thomas Cardwell & Co., London, and Cardwell, Parsons & Co., Bombay).
Charles A. Fearon, Esq., (Messrs. Fearon & Co. London), and late of Messrs. Augustine Heard & Co., China).
Wm. Maitland, Esq., (Messrs. Mackillop, Stewart & Co., Calcutta).

General Manager—Harry John, Esq.
Bankers. { The Bank of England. / The London Joint Stock Bank.
Agents in Scotland.—The British Linen Co.
Agents in Ireland.—The National Bank.
Brokers.—Messrs. Foster and Braithwaite.
Solicitors.—Messrs. Freshfields and Newman.
Auditors.—Messrs. Coleman, Turquand Young & Co.

Agencies and Branches of the Bank have been established at Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore Ceylon, Melbourne, Hongkong and Shanghai.

PROMOTERS IN BOMBAY.

THE Hon. M. H. SCOTT, (Messrs. Ritchie, Steward & Co.)
ROBERT HANNAY, Esq., (Messrs. Grey & Co.)
COWASJEE JEHANGHIER, Esq.

The Corporation will shortly be prepared to grant Drafts, and negotiate Bills of Exchange, payable at the above places, issue Letters of Credit, and conduct every description of Banking business connected with the East.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., *Agents.*
463. Hongkong, 27th September, 1864.

AGRA AND MASTERMAN'S BANK LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED IN 1833.
Incorporated by Royal Charter.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £1,500,000.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £3,000,000.

RESERVED FUND, £300,000.

Head Office:—
35, NICHOLAS-LANE, LONDON, E.C.
Edinburgh Branch:—
17, ST. ANDREW'S SQUARE.
Paris Branch:—
10, PLACE VENDOME.
Branches—
At Calcutta, Bombay, Madras, Kurrachee Agra, Lahore, Shanghai, Hongkong, Sydney, and Melbourne.

HONGKONG BRANCH.

CURRENT Accounts are kept and bills &c collected for credit of account free of charge. Deposits are received for fixed periods at rates of Interest which may be known on application. Local Bills discounted, and advances made on approved securities.

EXCHANGE.

The Bank grants bills of Exchange on its Head Office, London, and on its Branches in Paris, India, Shanghai, and Australia.

The Bank also forwards for collection Drafts Bills, &c., drawn on any of the above places.

Hours of Business 10 to 3
Saturday, 10 to 1

A. HAY, ANDERSON, *Manager.*
if 2032 Hongkong, 1st January, 1866.

BANK OF INDIA.

Capital, Rs. 1,00,00,000
(£1,000,000 Sterling.)

ESTABLISHED IN BOMBAY.

Incorporated with unlimited liability under Act No. XIX of 1857 of the Legislative Council of India.

HEAD OFFICE BOMBAY.

LONDON BANKERS, The London Joint Stock Bank.
BRANCHES.—London, Calcutta, Shanghai and Hongkong.

HONGKONG BRANCH.

The Bank draws on the London Joint Stock Bank, London, on its Head Office at Bombay and Branches at London Calcutta and Shanghai. The Bank is also prepared to negotiate bills payable at either of those Places.

DEPOSITS.

Interest will be allowed as follows:—
On Deposits for 3 months certain... 4 per c ent.
" " 6 " ... 5 "
" " 12 " ... 6 "

The Bank discounts local bills and grants loans on approved convertible securities.

FRANCIS ANDREWS, *Manager.*
Hongkong, 2nd June, 1864.

Banks.

THE AGRA AND MASTERMAN'S BANK, LIMITED.

NOTICE.—A Branch of this Bank has been opened in Paris under the direction of—
M. ALEXANDER DE LASKI, President.
M. ARLES DUFOUR, Member of the Lyon's Chamber of Commerce, and of the "Conseil General du Rhone."
M. EDOUARD DELESSERT, Director of the Messageries Impériales.
M. LYNCH, O.R. M.L.S., President of the London and Bagdad Banking Association, Limited.
M. J. B. PASTRE, President of the Marseilles Chamber of Commerce.
M. CHARLES SAUTTER, Banker and Director of the Credit Lyonnais.

This Branch is now prepared to grant Drafts on its Office in Paris, and to negotiate Bills of Exchange drawn on Paris and the principal cities of France, and also to forward for collection or acceptance similar documents.

Address (in Paris)—No. 10 *Place Vendôme.*

THE AGRA AND MASTERMAN'S BANK LIMITED.

UNE Succursale de cette Banque a été établie à Paris, sous la direction de—
M. ALEXANDRE DE LASKI, Président.
M. ARLES DUFOUR, Membre de la Chambre de Commerce de Lyon, et du Conseil Général du Rhône.
M. EDOUARD DELESSERT, Administrateur des Messageries Impériales Services Maritimes.
M. LYNCH, O.R. M.L.S., Président du London et Bagdad Banking Association, Limited.
M. J. B. PASTRE, Président de la Chambre de Commerce de Marseille.
M. CHARLES SAUTTER, Banquier Administrateur du "Credit Lyonnais."

Cette Branche de la Banque est maintenant préparée et autorisée de donner et de négocier des Lettres de Change sur Paris et les principales villes de France.

Succursale à Paris,—*Place Vendôme*, 10.

A. HAY ANDERSON, *Manager.*
if 2051 Hongkong, 16th December, 1865.

COMMERCIAL BANK CORPORATION OF INDIA AND THE EAST.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.
Paid-up Capital, £1,000,000,
with power to increase to £2,000,000.
RESERVED FUND £169,301.

Head Office—34, Moorgate Street, London, E.C.

LONDON BANKERS.
LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK.
SOLICITOR.
Messrs. CLARKE, SON & RAWLINGS.
BRANCHES AND AGENCIES AT
BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, SINGAPORE, SHANGHAI, FOOCHOW, BARROW, YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

HONGKONG BRANCH.

THE Bank negotiates and collects Bills, and grants Drafts on its Branches and Agencies as above. It also acts as the Agent of parties in making Remittances in English and Indian public securities.

The Bank also discounts or makes advances on *Private Bills*, and *Notes*, bearing at least two approved names unconnected in general partnership, or bearing only one name, if accompanied by the deposit of adequate collateral security.

Loans are granted upon securities or merchandize stored in the Bank's own Godowns or in those of Public Companies, but *under no circumstances whatever, will any advance be made on produce or merchandize stored in the Godowns of the borrower.*

Produce and Merchandize offered as security for loans must be accompanied by a certificate of value or quality signed by an approved Inspector or Broker.

Rebate of interest at 2 per cent per annum under the rate charged by the Bank will be allowed on loans paid off before maturity.

Drawing accounts opened with firms or individuals. A person having a Drawing account may have a Discount account, but no one can have the latter without having the former.

The Bank receives Deposits on the following terms:—

Repayable in 1 Month	3 per cent per annum.
do. 3 "	4 "
do. 6 "	5 "
do. 12 "	6 "

Office hours 10 to 4; Saturdays 10 to 2.

A. SHAW, *Acting Agent.*
if 2916 Hongkong, 5th December, 1865.

THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER.

Paid-up Capital, £1,000,000.
RESERVED FUND, £444,000.

Court of Directors.

Harry George Gordon, Esq., Chairman.
William Scott Binny, Esq., Deputy-Chairman.
James Blyth, Esq.
John Lewis Bonfitto, Esq.
William Walker Cargill, Esq.
Alexander Mackenzie, Esq.
Lesleck Robert Reid, Esq.
Patrick Robertson, Esq.
Charles G. F. Stuart, Chief Manager.
Patrick Campbell, Sub-Manager.

Bankers.
Bank of England.
Union Bank of Scotland.

Agents in Scotland.
National Bank of Scotland.
Commercial Bank of Scotland.
Dundee City, 23, St. Andrew Square Edinburgh.

Agents in Ireland.
Provincial Bank of Ireland.
The National Bank.

Head Office.
Threadneedle Street, London, E.C.

HONGKONG BRANCH.

Banking.

The Corporation receive money on deposit repayable on demand, upon which no interest is allowed.

They also receive money on fixed deposit repayable at twelve months notice, upon which interest at five per cent. per annum is allowed.

They discount Bills and Notes payable in Hongkong, having at least two approved names unconnected in general partnership; and they make advances upon bullion and goods not of a perishable nature, in the custody of the Bank.

Exchange.

The Corporation issue Drafts on the Bank of England payable on demand, and on the Union Bank of London payable at Six months' sight; and they grant Circular Notes for the use of travellers, negotiable in all towns of importance throughout the world.

They also issue Drafts on the Agencies and Branches of the Corporation at Shanghai, Yokohama, Bombay, Calcutta, Ceylon, Madras, Mauritius, Melbourne, Singapore, and Sydney, at the exchange of the day.

Bills payable in Europe or in any of the above places are purchased or remitted for collection.

Information as to the rules of business may be had at the Office, or on application by letter to the Manager.

Office hours 10 to 3. Saturday, 10 to 1.

J. McDOUALL, *Manager.*
if 1162 Hongkong, 18th April, 1865.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.

PROPRIETORS of the Company's Stock are hereby informed that in accordance with a Resolution, passed this day by the Court of Directors, it is now optional to them, on applying to this Office, to have their Shares registered, in either of the Bank's Branches or Agencies, at Shanghai, Calcutta, Bombay, or London, and that transfers of the Company's Shares may thenceforward be effected at any of the above places of registration; such transfers to be in the first instance approved of by the local Representatives of the Bank.

V. KRESSER, *Manager.*
if 2007 Hongkong, 18th October, 1865.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

THIS DAY

the 10th February, 1866—at Noon.

AT THEIR SALES ROOM.

Pedder's Wharf.

For and on account of whom it may concern
170 Casks of Ale.

Also.

4 Casks of Butter.
20 Cases Preserved Meats.
2 Cases Cavalry swords.

And.

Any other articles that may be offered prior to the day of sale.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.1.7.

THOS. HUNT & Co
Auctioneers.
Hongkong, 8th February, 1866.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

RAY & Co., will sell by Public Auction,

THIS DAY

the 10th February, 1866—at Noon,

AT THEIR SALES ROOM.

An Invoice of J. T. Morton's Gilman's Stores, Pickles Tart Fruits; White Vinegar, Mustard, ½ lb Jams and Jellies, ½ lb English Tins Chocolate and Cocoa and Milk, 2lb Tins assorted Soups and Meats, Sardines, Huntley and Palmer's Biscuits, Confectionery, etc.
150 dozens Flat earthenware plates.
200,000 Military Percussion Caps.
3 cases Tobacco.
10 pieces Fancy Flannels.
1 case Muscatel Raisins.
1 do Stationery.
1 do Fancy Walking Sticks.
20 Woollen Socks.
5 Champagne and Sherry glasses.
3 Prime York Hams.
200 boxes 28lb Yellow Soap.
&c, &c, &c.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

Hongkong, 9th February, 1866.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

LAMMERT ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

THIS DAY,

the 10th day of February, 1866—at 4 o'clock P.M.

At the Ground.

All that parcel of Land abutting on the North side on Third Street Sylnagoin, and extending thereon 345 feet, on the South and East sides, on Pokfulam Road, and measuring thereon 417 feet, and on the West side on a close. Registered in the Land Office as Inland Lot No. 799 and measuring thereon 245 feet, containing by the whole 22,900 square feet, and is registered in the Land Office as Inland Lot No. 799.

And,

The Inland Lot No. 658, measuring thereon 105 feet by 150 feet.

Ground rent about $75 per annum.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash in Mexican Dollars at 7.1.7, expenses to be borne by the purchasers.

Hongkong, 8th February, 1866.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,
(for account of the concerned) on

MONDAY,

the 12th Instant, at Noon.

At the Godowns of Messrs. Rutan & Co.
80 Bales 64's GREY SHIRTINGS.
Storage less one damaged.

TERMS OF SALE.—The Goods to be purchased at risk on fall of the hammer.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

MORGAN LAMBERT & Co.
Hongkong, 10th February, 1866.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from Messrs BOURJAU, HUBENER & Co., to sell by Public Auction,

On account of the concerned, on

MONDAY,

the 12th February, 1866—at 2 P.M. precisely

On board, lying off the Sailor's Home West.

The Prussian Barque

WALDEMAR

Further particulars of Inventory and sale may be seen by applying on board.

TERMS—At the fall of the hammer the Vessel to be at the Risk of the purchaser and one third of the purchase money to be paid in Mexican Dollars weighed 7.1.7. The remainder, 21 hours, after when the Vessel will be transferred to purchaser.

Hongkong, 9th February, 1866.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

BOWRA & Co. will sell by Public Auction,

By order of Captain WILLIAM WHITSON

TUESDAY.

The 13th February, 1866,

At about half past Three o'clock P.M.

At Whampoa.

The Ship

CORNHUSZIE,

with all her Tackle, Apparel and Furniture in One lot, as she now lies at Whampoa.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.1.7. The Ship to be also knocked down to be at the Purchaser's risk.

For Inventory and Further Particulars apply to the Captain, on Board.

Hongkong, 9th February, 1866.

PROFITABLE INVESTMENT.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have been instructed to dispose of the remainder of the lease of a Valuable Limited and House Property, situated in a central part of Victoria.

A term of four teen years is to yet to run, and the property is all at recent let at a remunerative rents.

if 60 Hongkong, 8th January, 1866.

MARINE AUCTION.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions from Capt. James Mitchell, to sell by Public Auction, on an early date (unless previously privately disposed of), the British Ship

MARE,

(Clyde-built) of 546 Tons Register, ready for Sea with full equipment, viz., Standing and Running Rigging, Sails, Anchors, Chains, &c., all complete and in good order.

For Survey Reports, Inventory, and all other particulars apply to Captain Mitchell on board, or to

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Auctioneers.

BUTCHER'S LIVERY STABLES.

HORSES received on Livery.
Carriages and Horses sold and bought on Commission.
Farriery, under careful supervision.
Carriages and Horses for Hire by the job, hour day, week or month.
Harness and Saddlery repaired and renovated, a stock of London made being always on hand.
Horses broken to saddle or Harness.
(J.B. will be happy to call at the residence of any person requiring his services, on receiving instructions to that effect.)
Rear of Murray Barracks, Hongkong.
if 167 [W.S.]

HONGKONG ATHLETIC SPORTS, 1866.

THE above are unavoidably postponed till SATURDAY, 10th Instant, commencing at 1.30 P.M.

ORAWFORD D. KERR, Hon. Secretary.
3d 261 Hongkong, 9th February, 1866.

HONGKONG RACE CLUB.

THE Subscriptions for 1866 are now in course of being collected. Subscribers will please pay on the List being presented.

Should subscriptions through inadvertence not be called for they may be paid to the Honorary Treasurer, at the Chartered Bank, who will, at the same time, issue Tickets for admission to the Grand Stand.

W. KAYE, *Honorary Treasurer.*
if 259 Hongkong, 8th February, 1866.

Legal Notices.

In re BURJORJEE NUSSERWANJEE, *Merchant Deceased.*

NOTICE.—All claims against the above Estate must be proved before the Official Administrator before the ninth day of June, A.D. 1866, otherwise they will not be included in the Scheme of Division. All parties indebted to the said Estate are requested to make immediate payment.

N. R. MASSON, *Acting Registrar, Official Administrator.*
if 6 Hongkong, 2nd January, 1866.

EXECUTOR'S NOTIFICATION.

In re GEORGE SMITH deceased.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of the late GEORGE SMITH, or who have claims against it, are requested to furnish particulars to the undersigned on or before the 31st January 1866.

LOLAN RUSSELL, *Executor.*
At the Office of Messrs Smith Kennedy & Co.
if 2084 Hongkong, 26th December, 1865.

SEALED Tenders marked on the outside "Tenders for Syce" will be received until noon of SATURDAY, the 10th Instant, for the purchase of all or portions of Hathwan Taels 63,881. 9.2.5. Canton Incentity Syce in exchange for Mexican Dollars.

Tenders to state the rate of premium for every 100 Canton Taels of Syce converted into Hongkong currency at 7.1.7 Taels per $1,000.

Controller's Office, Commissariat,
4d 250 Hongkong, 7th February, 1866.

NOTICE.

PROBATE of the last will and Testament of JAMES KEMP, late of Hongkong deceased, having been granted to the undersigned all persons having CLAIMS against the Estate of the said deceased, are requested to send the same to the undersigned on or before the 30th June next, otherwise they will not be received, and all persons indebted to said Estate are hereby required to pay the amount of their debts to the undersigned without delay.

G. FALCONER, *Executor.*
if 3051 Hongkong, 20th December, 1865.

ARMY CONTRACTS 1866/67.

SEALED TENDERS, in duplicate, marked outside, "TENDERS FOR ARMY CONTRACTS," will be received by the undersigned until Friday 23rd Instant from Persons willing to contract for such quantities of Commissariat Supplies, Hospital Bumpkins, or for the performance of Barrack and Hospital Services (such as Cleaning and repairing Bedding, Utensils &c., and Scavengers work) as may from time to time be required for the use of H.M. Forces in the Island of Hongkong and at Kowloon during the year commencing 1st April 1866.

Forms of Tender (and no others will be issued) by the Commissariat, will be received and Conditions of Contract with any further information that may be required shall be obtained on application to the Commissariat Barrack or Purveying Department for the respective supplies and Services.

Each Tender to be signed by two responsible persons willing to become surety for the party tendering.

The right of refusing the lowest or any Tender is reserved.

HENRY ROBINSON, *A.C.G.*
156 206 Hongkong, 6th February, 1866.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

DEPOTS of Lisbon Gold have been established at the undermentioned Ports.

Swatow ..... Messrs. Bradley & Co.
Amoy ..... Messrs. Ellis & Co.
Foochow ..... GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
if 2480 Hongkong, 23th September, 1865.

WANTED a good ENGLISH DOG, address "H. M. Daily Press" Office.
if 221 Hongkong, 6th February, 1866.

NOTICE.

THE Advertiser having a few hours to spare in the Morning and Evening will be glad to Keep Books, Accounts &c. or Parties wishing to have accounts adjusted, on Commercial principles may get the same promptly done at a moderate charge.

Address A. B. at the Office of this Paper.
if 145 Hongkong, 18th January, 1866.

TO GAS-FITTERS.

WANTED.—Two or three GAS FITTERS, accustomed to both iron and lead work. They would have to provide themselves with tools at their own expense. Liberal wages will be given.

Apply to COWIE & Co.
if 208 Shanghai, 25th January, 1866.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned having established himself at this port as MARINE SURVEYOR, any communications to his address, care of Messrs. Gibb Livingston & Co., will be promptly attended to.

CHARLES VINCENT.
if 236 Hongkong, 5th February, 1866.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that MR. CHARLES MACKINTOSH Has been appointed Agent to this company in HONGKONG,

and will take charge of the affairs of the Company on and after the 1st February, 1866.

Messrs. Gibb Livingston & Co. will cease to act as Agents for the company on the 31st January.

The company's offices are temporarily at Messrs. Gilman & Co's, but will shortly be removed to their own Premises, in Aguilar Street, next to McDougall Lapraik's.

By order of the board of Directors.

JOHN MACKINTOSH, *Secretary.*
Shanghai, 16th January, 1866.

Consultative committee in Hongkong.
H. B. Gibb, Esq. (Messrs Gibb Livingston & Co.)
WILLIAM LEVAON, Esq., (Messrs Gilman & Co.)
FRANCIS FAULKNER, Esq., (Messrs Bibley & Co.)
if 208 Shanghai 30th January, 1866.

THE HONGKONG VOLUNTEERS.

THERE will be a drill, for recruits, in Plain Clothes, every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, at 5 P.M., at Head Quarters House until further orders.

By order,
H. J. H. TRIPP.
if 228 Hongkong, 3rd February, 1866.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEERS.

LIEUTENANT W. J. HANDSCOMB is authorised by H. E. the Acting Governor to be the Acting Commandant of the Hongkong Volunteers during my temporary absence from the Colony.

By Order
H. COHEN,
Capt. and Adjt. Comdt.
if 2860 Hongkong, 14th December, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned, PIANO TUNER and REPAIRER, beg leave to intimate to the Public that in consequence of his residence not being situated in a central position for the convenience of the Public he begs to notify that Parties wishing to engage his services would kindly address him to the care of F.P. of the "*Daily Press*" Office.

P. A. SEQUEIRA.
if 2421 Hongkong, 25th September, 1865.

Intimations.

BANK OF HINDUSTAN, CHINA, AND JAPAN, (LIMITED.)

HONGKONG BRANCH.

INTEREST on CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS will be allowed, from and after this date, until further notice, at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum, on all daily balances not exceeding $15,000; but special arrangement may be made if desired, for balances above that amount.

Interest will be allowed on Fixed Deposits of money at the following rates, viz.:—
For 3 months certain at 4½ per cent. per annum
" 2 do. do. 4 do. do.
" 1 do. do. 3½ do. do.
and for longer periods according to arrangement.

ARCHIBALD STEWART, Manager.
if 279 Hongkong 10th February, 1866.

WE have authorised Mr. P. C. Kraake to sign our Firm per procuration.

EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.
2m 277 Hongkong, 10th February, 1866.

FOR SALE.

20 PIEMES BROWN SHEATHING FELT.

RAY & Co.
1m 278 Hongkong, February 6, 1866.

RECEIVED BY LAST MAIL.

RECHLESSES.

A fine assortment of superior JEWELLERY for Ladies and Gentlemen, by Wolsham; and Mathews and Peak, London.

C. HOSHSTETTER,
Queen's Road.
if 272 Hongkong, 10th February, 1866.

WANTED ON BOTTOMRY!!

ABOUT $5000, for the repairs on the A 1 British Brig

"MUSIO;"

For a voyage to Hoetsun and back via Macao.

Apply stating lowest terms to

PARKER & Co.
Agents for Captain Klein and owner of above vessel.
if 273 Hongkong, 10th February, 1866.

FOR SALE.

JUST landed ex "*Talising*" from London.

Tennant's Ale in quarts and pints.
do. Porter in pints.
An Invoice of first class Preserves and Gilman's stores.

Ex "*Chiloe*" from Hamburg.

An Invoice of Hethis prime Russian Cordage in all sizes.

Also,

Superior French preserved Fruits.

PETERSEN BROTHERS & Co.
if 276 Hongkong, 10th February, 1866.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first ordinary GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of this Bank will be held at the Head office of the Bank in Wardley House, Queen's Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on *Monday, the Twelfth day of February next, at Eleven o'clock in the Forenoon*, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a statement of accounts to 31st December A.D. 1865, and of declaring a dividend.

NOTICE is also given that at this meeting the Court of Directors will submit proposals for increasing the Capital of the Company by an issue of Ten Thousand new shares of ($250) Two hundred and fifty dollars each, at a premium of five per centum; the amount of which premium, viz. $125,000 it is proposed to carry to the Reserved Fund of the Bank.

By order of the Court of Directors:

VICTOR KRESSER, *Manager.*
if 148 Hongkong, 19th January, 1866.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSTITUENTS AND DEPOSITORS.

IT has been resolved by the Court of Directors:

Firstly. To allow a Bonus equivalent to an increase of Interest at the rate of Can per cent per annum on all Fixed Deposits outstanding on the 31st ulto. Such Bonus to be reckoned from the time of deposit up to that date.

Secondly. A Bonus equal to one per cent per annum will also be carried to the credit of Current Account Depositors, in addition to the amount of interest already entered in their Pass Books up to 31st Dec. 1865.

Thirdly. From the first day of this Month and until further notice, interest will be allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of Two per cent per annum upon the daily Balances.

By Order,
VICTOR KRESSER, *Manager.*
if 141 Hongkong, 18th January, 1866.

NOW READY.

BOUND VOLUMES of the TRADE REPORT for the year 1865. Price $10.

Daily Press Office.
if 267 Hongkong, 9th February, 1866.

MR. G. von SHIZINGSHOWEN is authorised to sign our firm per procuration, from this date.

WM MATHIEU & Co.
3m 265 Batavia, 29th December, 1865.

JUST ARRIVED BY MAIL.

A small quantity of Gruyere CHEESE.

Apply to G. DUBOST & Co.
Queen's Road
Corner of Gutzlaff Street.
1m 270 Hongkong, 9th February, 1866.

NEITHER the Captain nor the Agents of the British Ship "*Spray of the Ocean*" will be responsible for any debts contracted by the Crew of the said vessel.

if 262 Hongkong, 8th February, 1866.

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THE GARRISON THEATRE.

THIS theatre being now completed a series of PERFORMANCES WILL BE PRODUCED During the ensuing season which will be divided into

SUBSCRIPTION AND PUBLIC NIGHTS.

The 1st performance is fixed for

TUESDAY NEXT, 13TH INSTANT.

Which will be a

SUBSCRIPTION NIGHT,

On which occasion will be produced the Comedietta of

"THE SENTINEL"

And the Burlesque of

FAUST AND MARGUERITE.

On Thursday, the 15th Instant, the same will be repeated.

This will be a

PUBLIC NIGHT.

For which tickets can be obtained at Messrs. Lane Crawford's where a plan of the theatre may be seen.

THE SUBSCRIPTION LIST.

Will be at the Club—

Should the number of subscribers be greater than the house can accommodate a

SUPPLEMENTARY SUBSCRIPTION NIGHT

Will be given; a paper or list for that purpose will be left at the Club for the guidance of the Committee.

if 283 Hongkong, 8th January, 1866

FOR SHANGHAI, CHEEFOO & TAKU.

(Inside Bar)

THE Steamer

"TAPANGNYO;"

Captain Grindle, will load at Canton for the above ports and will be dispatched, via Hongkong, on the 1

Docks.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY.

THE COMPANY'S DOCKS, at ABERDEEN and WHAMPOA, are in full working order, and the attention of Shipowners is respectfully solicited to the advantages which this Establishment offers for the Docking and Repair of Vessels. The following description of the Premises is submitted for the information of the Public.

ABERDEEN DOCKS.

DOCK No. 1.

Built of GRANITE.	
Length	330 feet.
Breadth	80 "
Depth of water at Spring Tides	16½ "
Do. Neap Tides	16 "

NEW DOCK, No. 2.

Built of GRANITE.	
Length	400 feet.
Breadth	90 "
Depth of water at Spring Tides	24 "
Do. Neap Tides	21½ "

This Dock is now under course of construction.

WHAMPOA DOCKS.

DOCK A.

Built of GRANITE.	
Length	550 feet
Breadth	80 "
Depth of Water at Spring Tides	16½ a 17 ft.
do. Neap do.	12½ a 15 "

This can be used either as one or two Docks

DOCK B.

Built of GRANITE.	
Length	340 feet
Breadth	60 "
Depth of Water at Spring Tides,	18 feet
do. Neap do.	15 "

This Dock is at present in course of alteration. The above are the largest Docks in China, and they are fitted with every appliance to the way of Chinese, powerful Steam Pumps, &c., to ensure safety and despatch in work.

DOCK C.

Built of Wood.	
Length	260 ft.
Depth of Water at Spring Tides.	14 "
do. do. Neap.	11 "

Fitted with Caissons and Steam Pumps.

DOCK D.

Length	161 feet
Depth of Water at Spring Tides.	10.6 "
do. do. Neap	9.6 "

DOCK E.

Length	120 feet
Depth of Water at Spring Tides	11 "
do. do. Neap	9 "

D. and E. are Mud Docks available for small vessels, at very low rates.

WORKSHOPS.

The Workshops on the Premises, both at Aberdeen and Whampoa, possess every appliance necessary for the Repairs of Ships or Steam Machinery. The Engineer's Shops are supplied with Lathes, Planing, Screwing, Cutting, Punching Machines, &c., &c.—capable of executing work on the largest scale, and driven by steam. The Shipwright's and Blacksmith's Shops are equally well supplied with plant, and the work is entirely carried on under the Supervision of experienced Europeans.

Powerful Lifting Shears stand on a Jetty, alongside which vessels can lie in 24 feet water and take to or cut boilers, masts, &c.

BOILERMAKER'S DEPARTMENT.

The Company in addition to executing Repairs are prepared to tender for supplying new Boilers to Steam-ships, for constructing which they have great facilities.

FOUNDRY.

Iron and Brass Castings, either for Ships or general purposes, are executed with the utmost despatch.

STORES.

The Company's Stores will (when required) supply at moderate rates all the necessaries for Shipwork, such as Paint, Copper, Canvas, &c.

STEAM TUG.

The Company's powerful Steam TUG *Fame*, (110 Horse-power nominal) is always in readiness to Tow sailing vessels from Hongkong to the Dock *free of charge*, and will take them back or to Sea at reduced Rates.

For further particulars apply to G. N. MINGO, Resident Manager at the Office of the Company in Hongkong.

D. LAPRAIK,
Secretary.

N.B.—*The Consignees or Owners of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the Work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.*

Hongkong, April 4, 1865.

PORT OF AMOY.

SHIPBUILDERS, AGENTS, and COMMANDERS, are informed that the DOCK COMPANY'S ESTABLISHMENTS, at the above Port, afford every facility for Repairing and Sparring Vessels and for Cleaning and Painting Iron and Steam Ships.

Their large GRANITE DOCK, 286 feet long on the Blocks, is in complete Working order, and at average Spring tides can take Vessels Drawing 16 to 17 feet Water. The Dock is fitted with a Caisson Gate and with a Centrifugal Steam Pump of great power ensuring despatch in all states of the tide. An ample stock is kept on hand of Timber, Oregon Spars, Sheathing Copper and Yellow Metal, and of every description of Material required for Dock Yard use.

The Premises comprise an Engineer's Workshop, a large Smithy, and Carpenter's Workshops, and the Works are superintended by Resident Europeans, viz., a Shipwright, an Engineer, and a Blacksmith. Dry Godowns for the reception of Vessels stores &c., when requiring to discharge them.

tf 956 Amoy, March 1865.

DANES ISLAND DOCKS.

WHAMPOA.

CONDUCTED BY

GOW & Co.

ONE Dock, 240 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 11 feet, at Spring Tides.

One Dock, 160 feet long, can take in Vessels drawing 8 feet, at Spring Tides.

There are Houses at both Docks for the accommodation of Captains and Crews of Vessels.

All kinds of Ship and Blacksmiths Work done.

The Large Dock pumped out by an Engine.

The Proprietors beg to notify the Merchants, Ship Owners, and Captains, that their charges for Docking are lower than any in China.

No Commission charged upon any Metal or Stores supplied by the Ship.

Apply to

JOHN RIACH & Co.
Hongkong, or to
Mr. JAMES BADENOCH,
Manager, Whampoa.

Hongkong, 4th September, 1865.

POOCHOW DOCK

MARNOI POINT, RIVER MIN.

THE undersigned respectfully begs to notify to Commanders, and Consignees of Ships, that the above Granite Floored Dock is now ready to receive Vessels. Its dimensions are as follow:—length 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet at top 95 feet, depth of water on the sill, Spring Tides, average 18 feet, Neaps 16 feet.

The Dock is fitted with a Caisson Gate and is pumped out by steam in two hours. The Shipwrights' department, under the superintendence of an experienced European Shipwright, contains a large stock of Australian and other hardwoods, Oregon Pine Lumber, from one inch thick to eighteen inches square; also Spars from thirty inches at partners. In connection with the above is a Steam Saw Mill to insure despatch in work.

The Blacksmiths department, under the superintendence of an experienced European, is also well supplied.

Dry Godowns, and a large Hulk for the reception of Cargo, or Stores.

JOHN O. SKEY,
Manager.

tf 1762 Foochow 18th April 1865.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY.

THE Third Call of Fifty Dollars ($50) per Share on the new Stock of the HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, is due on the 25 January Next, and is payable at the Agra and Masterman's Bank. "Receipts for the payment of which will be granted by the Manager.

By Order of the Directors,

D. LAPRAIK,
Secretary.

tf 2172 Hongkong, 27th November, 1865.

Docks.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA LIMITED.

THE Company respectfully beg to call the attention of Ship Owners, Agents and Masters to their Establishments at WHAMPOA, which offer every facility for the DOCKING and REPAIR of Vessels of all classes.

Their Docks in Whampoa, which comprise four, have been in successful operation for the last Twelve Year and are now in good Working Condition.

The Docks are pumped out by a Steam Pump in Five hour and capable of taking in Vessels drawing 15½ feet at Spring Tides.

The Work Shops comprise the different Departments of the Shipwright, Blacksmiths, Boiler Maker, and Foundry—possessing all the necessary appliances for the Repairs of Ships, Steamers, and Steam Machinery.

The Stores in the different Departments consist of the best Materials, which can be supplied to Vessels on the most reasonable Terms.

A Jetty, with a powerful Lifting Shears, alongside of which Vessels can lie and take out Masts, Boilers, &c.

A Steam Tug always in readiness to Tow Vessels to the Docks, free of charge, and will tow them back to anchorage or to sea at Reduced Rates.

All Work carried on under the superintendence of experienced Europeans.

For further particulars apply to

H. B. ENDICOTT,
Secretary.

or Capt. T. B. RENNELLS,
Manager at Whampoa.

N.B.—The Consignees or Masters of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the Work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock Arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company.

tf 950 Hongkong, 21st March, 1865.

NOTICE.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA. (LIMITED).

THE Third Call of Two Hundred Dollars ($200) per Share is due on the 6th January next and is payable at the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COMPANY LIMITED. Receipts for the payment of which will be granted by the Manager.

Interest at the rate of twelve per centum per Annum will be charged on all calls unpaid after the above date.

By order of the Directors,

H. B. ENDICOTT,
Secretary.

tf 2753 Hongkong, 6th November, 1865.

The Bangkok Dock Company's

NEW DOCK.

THIS Magnificent Dock is now ready to receive Vessels of any burthen and the attention of Ship Owners, Agents and Masters is respectfully solicited to the advantages for Repairing and Sparring Vessels, which no other Dock in the East can offer.

The following description of the Premises is submitted for the information of the public.

The Dimensions and Depth of water being:

Length	300 feet. (to be extended)
Breadth	100 feet.
Depth of Water	15 "

The Dock is fitted with a Chinese, has a splendid entrance of 120 feet from the River with a spacious Jetty on each side, where Vessels of any size may lay at any state of the Tides, to lift Masts, Boilers etc—with Powerful Lifting Shears, which are now in the course of construction.

The Dock is fitted with Steam Pumps of Great Power insuring Dispatch in all states of the Tides

WORKSHOPS.

The Workshops comprise the different departments of *Ship-wrights, Mast and Block Makers, Blacksmiths, Engineers, Foundry, etc.*

The whole being superintended by Europeans, who have had many years experience in the different branches.

The *Workmen* are the best picked men from Hongkong and Whampoa.

The Company draws particular attention to the Great advantages this Dock offers, being in a Port where the best Teak and other Timber can be had at the cheapest cost.

A *Steam Saw Mill* is also in connection with the Dock to insure dispatch in work.

The *Keel Blocks* are 4 feet in height and can be taken out of or shifted without cutting or causing any expense to ships having to get them removed.

The Company is also prepared to give estimates for ceiling Contracts for the repairs of Wooden or Iron Ships; the Building of New Ships, Steam Boats, etc., or any kind of work connected with shipping.

All Material supplied at Market price. Vessels for Docking may lay at the Company's Buoys or Wharf free of charges until ordered to remove by the Superintendent.

Captains of Vessels before leaving the Dock must approve and sign their Dockage Bills.

All communications respecting the docking to be addressed *with further notice* to the undersigned, by whom all Bills will be signed and collected.

JOHN BUSH,
Managing Director.

Bangkok, 18th Sept, 1865.

1y 2626 Hongkong, 20th October, 1865.

Intimations.

OWING to the frequent occurrence of losses arising from Vessels employing SAND or MUD as ballast, the undermentioned Insurance Companies have mutually agreed to decline from and after the First of January next, all Insurances by Vessels thus ballasted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
General Agents Canton Insurance Office.

DENT & Co.
Secretaries Union Insurance Society of Canton.

GILMAN & Co.
Agents North China Insurance Company.

RUSSELL & Co.
Secretaries Yangtsze Insurance Association.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
General Agents China Traders Insurance Company Limited.

tf 3 53 Hongkong 21st December, 1865.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS early in the morning of FRIDAY the 17th day of November, the Bungalow occupied by BORJORJEE NUSERWANJEE, Esq. in Albany Terrace was burglariously entered by certain Chinese unknown, who being armed with swords, inflicted several wounds on the said BORJORJEE NUSERWANJEE from the effects of which he has since died.

It is hereby notified that a reward of

FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

Will be given by the undersigned to any person for such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of one or more of the guilty parties.

N. R. MASSON,
Acting Registrar,
Official Administrator &c.

Registrar's Office Supreme Court 12th Dec.

tf 2983 Hongkong, 13th December, 1865.

THE HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS are requested to take Notice that the FIRST CALL of Twenty Five Dollars per Share on the Capital of the Company will be due and payable on the *6th day of November* next at the Office of "The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Company, Limited," Queen's road, Hongkong, when receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Bank which will be exchanged on the 20th day of November for Share Certificates on application at the Offices of the Company. Interest at the rate of Twelve per centum per Annum will be charged on all unpaid Calls.

The Articles of Association lie for signature at the Office of the undersigned and Shareholders are requested to call and sign them there.

By order of the Board of Directors,

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
General Agents.

tf 2846 Hongkong, 20th October, 1865.

THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the SECOND CALL of $25 each due upon the shares of this Company, will be due and payable on the 6th day of *February next*, at the Offices of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Company, Limited, Hongkong, where receipts will be granted for the amount by the Manager, which receipts can be exchanged for Share Certificates at the Office of the Company on and after the said 6th day of February next.

Interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum will be charged on all amounts unpaid.

By order of the Board of Directors.

(*Signed.*) AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
General Agents.

tf 136 Hongkong, 18th January, 1865.

NOW READY.

THE CHINESE CLASSICS, Vol. III., in Two Parts. Price, $12. Being the Shoo King, or Book of Historical Documents, with a Translation Prolegomena, &c. By JAMES LEGGE D.D., of the London Missionary Society.

tf 2650 Hongkong 1st November, 1865.

UNDER DISPATCH.

The "*Indus*," leaves for SWATOW, AMOY and FOOCHOWOO, to-morrow, at day-light.

H.M. Str. "*Rattler*," leaves for MANILA, LABUAN and SINGAPORE, This day, the 10th Inst., at 11 A.M.

The "*Rona*," leaves for SHANGHAI on Tuesday the 13th Instant, at Noon.

The "*Aurelia*," leaves for SAN FRANCISCO, To-day, at 4 P.M.

DEATHS.

At the General Hospital, Hongkong, on the 4th February, SAMUEL JERSEY, Gunner, Royal Artillery, aged 31 years (of Fracture of Skull.)

At Hongkong, on the 5th of February EDITH ANNE MARY, Wife of F. RYNIE, Esq., aged 24 years.

At the Civil Hospital, Hongkong, 7th Feb. G. COOPS, Seaman Unemployed.

To Correspondents.

DELTA.—The letter shall appear in a day or two.

The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, FEBRUARY 10, 1866.

Latest Dates.

From	to the	Conveyance
London, (*direct*)	26th Dec.	Behar.
Do. (*telegram*)	16th Jan.	"
New York, (*telegram*)	29th Decr.	"
Calcutta, (*direct*)	31st Jan.	Clan Alpine
Bombay, (*telegram*)	17th "	"
Galle, (*direct*)	22nd "	Behar
Penang, "	25th "	"
Singapore, "	31st "	"
Saigon, "	25th "	Alphea
Shanghai, "	5th Feb.	Rona
Yokohama, †	18th Jan.	Dupleix
Nagasaki †	30th Jan.	Miranda
Peking,	Ice Bound	
Tientsin,	Do.	
Chefoo,	31st Jan	Johanna
Hankow, †	1st Feb.	—
Kewkiang, †	—	—
Newchwang,	Ice Bound	
Ningpo, †	31st Jan.	Express
Foochow,	4th Feb.	Ucciso
Amoy,	5th "	"
San Francisco,	9th Decr.	Uncowah.
Manila,	23rd Jan.	Don A. Escanho

† *via Shanghai.*

NOTICE.

With great regret we have still to apologise for the non-appearance of the Directory. We can only assure subscribers that every effort is being made to hasten forward the publication and,—as a proof that these exertions will not be slackened,—that the delay is a greater inconvenience to us than it can be to anyone else.

News to the 1st of this month has been received from Hankow. We are glad to say that up to this date nothing had occurred to justify the panic which had seized on the Chinese authorities, and the alarm was gradually subsiding. The insurgents had captured two towns, Wang-chow and Wang-pe, the first 50 and the second 30 miles to the northward of Hankow, but it was believed they had no intention of marching on that city.

So far, this is satisfactory. If we say that the alarm which has been felt does not appear to be more than one of the panics periodically arising, we do not mean to hint that the European population of Hankow was in the least degree blameable for being on the alert. On the contrary it is gratifying to see how readily all members of the community responded to the consul's call to arms, and to feel that, isolated as the little settlement may be, it contains so much pluck and public spirit that we need not give way to fears for its safety. Still the fact that whenever the Tsungli raises the cry "wolf!" business is inevitably interrupted by preparations for defence, brings into a striking light the incapability of the Chinese government to carry out that clause in the treaty, under which they are required to afford efficient protection to the English settlement. A letter of the 30th from Hankow states that the sketch of the "situation" given in the *Hankow Times* of the 27th is in no way overdrawn. The community in the face of a danger that was not the less imminent at the time because it seems afterwards to have passed away to some extent, felt itself thrown entirely on its own resources, in consequence of the notoriously untrustworthy character of the Chinese Imperial troops in Hankow. Considering that its available force consisted of two small gunboats and about fifty volunteers hastily enrolled, it must furthermore have been evident that those resources would have been altogether inadequate to meet a serious attack from the rebels, if they had come down in great numbers. It becomes therefore, a matter for reflection, whether we might not be justified in seeking from the Chinese Government some pecuniary equivalent for the protection they are bound to afford isolated settlements like Hankow, Kewkiang or Newchwang, which we might apply to the maintenance of a force of our own. So far, at any rate, as Hankow is concerned, the intentions of the Imperial government have been loyal enough. It has within the last two years constructed a wall round the English settlement, which almost deserves to be called a fortification. The foreign settlement, as our readers are aware, is on the South-and side of the river. The wall of which we speak, which is four and a half miles long, completely embraces it, and touches the river to the eastward and westward. There is a trench about fifty feet wide from which the earth has been thrown up so as to form an embankment on which two or three carriages might be driven abreast. This embankment is faced with courses of granite and Chinese bricks to the depth of eight or ten feet. Only one thing is required to make Hankow one of the safest foreign settlements in China,—a reliable garrison. With that it is unfortunately out of the power of the Chinese to oblige us.

The Hongkong Mint.

To the Editor of the "Daily Press."

HONGKONG, 8th *February*, 1866.

SIR,—The letter which appeared over the signature of *Colonist* in your issue of the 30th ulto., on the subject of the Hongkong Mint, is too important in its nature, and too able in its tone and construction, to be allowed to pass without comment or remark; and differing as I do from the deductions which it draws and the conclusions which it arrives at, I am at length, failing the appearance of a more capable antagonist, indeed to take up my pen and attack it.

Allow me in the first place to set your correspondent aright on one point. He throws the blame of the establishment of the Hongkong Mint on "Governor Robinson and his Legislative Council." (The italics are mine) This is certainly an error. Sir Hercules alone committed the act. It is quite foreign to the subject of the discussion in hand, to meet the point of the legality of this step; but as your correspondent touched on the subject of its reasonableness, he will excuse me for pointing out the right horse to be saddled.

I will cheerfully admit the correctness of the examples which your correspondent adduces in illustration of his arguments. These are proofs of the integrity of the sentiments which he expresses, and are very valuable in the consideration of the subject-matter in hand. But I take leave to assail him on the following *dictum* contained in the last paragraph but one of his letter, "Those persons who advocate a Mint in Hongkong as the means of providing a legal tender currency for China, are fifty years before their time." This *dictum* contains the elements of an objectionable, of a dangerous doctrine—elements that can only be supported or attacked by men's individual opinions which are but too often imbued with crotchets, and hobbies—prejudices and cherished convictions.

It may appear unfair towards your correspondent, and unsatisfactory to your readers, that I should admit the figures of *Colonist*, which are capable of proof, and assail a *dictum*, which I acknowledge to have no weapon to attack but my own opinion. But I trust to elucidate the conclusion that *Colonist* has committed the error which most practical men are prone to—he has worked himself into a groove by his daily labors, and he has become convinced that this groove is the basis of the commercial operations on which he is engaged;—that it forms the immoveable principle on which they must be carried out, and circumscribes the limit and the extent to which they may be conducted.

I have said that such *dicta* as the above are dangerous in those days of progress, and I will attempt to illustrate my meaning. What did Dr Dionysius Lardner say when the attempt was first made to establish a line of steamers between Great Britain and the United States? "The learned doctor advised, with much emphasis that if the scheme succeeded he would have no objection to become a Director of a line of balloons to the moon." Need I point out the specious arguments which were put forward by the most eminent engineers of the day against the construction of the Liverpool and Manchester Railway—arguments which proved sufficiently forcible to cause the Company's scrip to be rejected by all London bankers, and to be scouted on the Stock Exchange? Shall I remind your readers of the opposition which George Stephenson encountered in promoting the Railway between Newcastle and Carlisle? In that case stage coach statistics were produced which displayed the fact that only sixty passengers travelled on an average between the two places in the course of a week! This fact proved a great obstacle to Stephenson, and in referring to it some years afterwards, he showed from Railway statistics that this weekly average had increased to two thousand eight hundred. Lardner and Robert Stephenson have passed away, but lest there instances should in consequence appear antiquated, let me adduce McDonald Stephenson, and his career on Indian Railways as a further instance in point. How many obstacles raised by such *dicta* as I am now attacking, had he not to combat? It was stoutly maintained that the engineering difficulties were insurmountable—and that even if these were surmounted the project would never answer in a pecuniary point of view, because the prevalence of *coolie* would prevent the natives from availing of the improved mode of travel.

If these instances be not deemed to have direct reference to the case in point, let me be excused for coming still nearer home, or rather, nearer to Hongkong, whilst I adduce the point of the progress of steam navigation on the Canton river. Why the establishment of steam on the Choo-Kiang does not date twenty years back, and for many years after it took place, the Chinese be used to avail of it. It was not until the year 1834, when Canton was menaced by rebels, that the force of prejudice had to bend to the force of circumstances and from that recent date the development of steam in China may be marked. That is but twenty years since and Colonist in his imagination has heaped fifty on his *dictum*. It is but thirty-two years since the East India Company's monopoly in Canton terminated. Had your correspondent been then in China, how much would he have pronounced that man in advance of his time, who would have prognosticated the changes which have since taken place? Two centuries at least, I should say.

I differ materially from your correspondent as to the subject matter in hand, but the question is to whether he is fifty years behind his time, or I am fifty years before it is not the point at issue. I therefore will let that pass allowing your readers to arrive at their own conclusions regarding it. All I ask of your correspondent is to full out of the groove he has worked himself into, to meet me on level hard ground, and to argue on first principles. These can be the only guide in coming to a correct conclusion regarding the difference between us.

The first question is—what is an established national currency? The reply is—a measure of value incapable of imitation, based upon the good faith of the governing powers. The Chinese have no established currency for two very plain reasons. 1st, the principle of good faith forms no element of their government. 2nd, because they are as a people so naturally dishonest, and so excessively clever, that it has hitherto been found impossible to produce a coin which they cannot successfully imitate.

I need hardly say forth, that an established currency is a great convenience to the people at large, and it is certainly superfluous to add, that the Chinese people suffer vastly from the lack of this desideratum. Two of these obstacles to progress which infest the Celestial Empire, and which make it the impracticable mass we see it, I will venture to assert that all Celestial peculiarities, when fully understood, will be found to be based on as tangible a cause.

The next point to consider is the *modus operandi*, whereby the Chinese receive and make their payments to each other. Nothing can be conceived more tedious, clumsy, nor notable; and on this branch of the subject your correspondent has wisely kept silent, for, really I cannot help concluding that he has quite overlooked it. The difficulty in propounding the theory on which the Chinese base their currency is to give the standard on which they calculate. I have seen Copper Cash at sixteen hundred per dollar, and I have seen it below nine hundred. The faith of the Chinese public in the article was shaken by the appearance of large quantities of spurious Cash, which at last degenerated into pure iron. An export demand set in, and all the issues which contained a certain amount of Copper were shipped to India—what became ultimately of the iron cash I do not know, but I am aware that what this description of coin stood thus deprecated, the legitimate issues were hoarded. The evil appears to have corrected itself, for of late years the species of currency has maintained its value very steadily. In fact, it has been rather at a premium. Its great bulk however precludes the possibility of its adaptability to the purposes of foreign conquest. Yet the demand for the article in favour of the open ports, proves that it is much required as a currency.

I "trust show the way the wind blows." It may be argued that the Chinese appreciate a currency by the intrinsic value of the metal it contains—and that therefore they are not to be included in the category of nations who use a currency on the faith of the Government, as a mere much above its intrinsic value. I submit that the reception of the bronze mil in this colony depels this dictum. The intrinsic value of the bronze mil as displayed by the melting pot, is remarkably small, and purposely so—yet it passes current at the arbitrary rate regulated by the Hongkong Government and has actually borne a premium. Let the Mandarins issue a debased currency on such terms, and we should soon see its melancholy fate. I call on your correspondent to admit the deduction inevitable from this plain fact, namely, that a debased currency issued for convenience sake by a government in which the Chinese have confidence, is entirely constant—whilst the same issued by the Mandarins would be despised.

I trust this fact will one day the ground which your contemporary takes about a Chinese Imperial Mint, and I trust it will establish the important fact, that the good faith of the local government of this Colony is admitted, understood, and acknowledged by the Chinese generally.

So much for Copper Cash. I now proceed to describe payments in the precious metals. These are little better than payments in kind, because they simply imply the payment of certain specified amounts of pure silver or gold. The purity and weight of the precious metals tendered have to be ascertained and calculated. The foreign dollar can be successfully imitated, and therefore each coin has to be chopped as it passes through every hand, lest groundless reclamations should be made. The dollar soon loses its individuality and becomes broken money—in which shape however it is very current, because its quality is denoted and it cannot be easily if at all imitated. Sycee cannot be said to be current—it merely passes for what it is worth after its purity and weight shall have been ascertained.

It may be urged that the existence of Haiquan sycee bears against my argument, because it wears the value expressed upon its face and is therefore a currency. My reply is that the manufacture of Haiquan Sycee is a monopoly imposed upon the Imperial Government, for the purpose of providing foreigners with a medium wherewith to pay the duties. I submit that neither the Imperial Government nor the Provincial authorities have hand or part in the manufacture of Haiquan Sycee—but that its production is the legitimate effort of native bankers whose fair fame and credit are their only support. I submit that the fact of the authorities being compelled to trust to the medium of such an establishment, is a proof that their hands are too much defiled to provide the means to do the needful themselves.

Your correspondent errs in supposing that Carolus or Ferdinand, or any other description of dollar which ever bore a premium, is or was current money. When dollars bear a premium they become articles of jewelry. Even in Hongkong and Macao this is readily understood. A present to a child or a servant, is never made but in clean dollars, which are generally treasured as long as possible. The Carolus and Ferdinand dollars which used to bear such a premium in the silk districts doubtless went the way of all jewelry—namely, the Taipings carried them off. Here poverty precludes the repetition of the indulgence in the same taste, and it is even I fely that caprice may stop its recurrence, but that I have given the diagnosis of the fictitious value which Carolus dollars bore in the silk districts, there can be little doubt about.

Whilst I thus attack the principles of Colonist's arguments, I find myself compelled to call one of his details into question. There is a certain quantity of gold in most descriptions of Sycee which the Chinese made of melting will not separate. Your correspondent may remember that after the payment in full of the first China war, a quantity of the Sycee received in liquidation was shipped to England. A proportion of gold was detected in this metal, the value of which was properly returned to the Chinese government. If I remember aright the sum was £80,000 sterling.

I have no more to say beyond drawing the deductions which my arguments warrant. The Chinese are in no way different from other people in their necessity for, nor in their capacity to appreciate, a fixed currency based on a measure of value and receivable by count—on the contrary, they require such a currency badly and will receive it gladly, provided the good faith of the issuer can be relied on, and also provided the coin submitted is incapable of being simulated. On these grounds depend the success of the Hongkong Mint in my humble opinion. I do not say the coin which may form the currency of the Chinese Empire will be a dollar, because I incline to the opinion that a tael piece will be found more acceptable; but I do say that the Hongkong Mint, if properly managed, must produce a coin which will supersede all other foreign coins in China, and which will very probably prove the desideratum which the Chinese so greatly require—namely a measure of value, a fixed currency throughout the Empire.

The late land sale in the vicinity of the Mint corroborates my impressions. The return of that sale unmistakeably indicates that land contiguous to Star Point, is several tens of times more valuable than it was prior to the project being started. The eminent firm whose name is identified with that quarter of the town is clearly of opinion that the undertaking will prosper, inasmuch as their land operations in the vicinity have lately been extensive.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,
F. E. RINCIPLES.

The Alarm at Hankow.

By the latest intelligence in the paper from Hankow, it appears that place is completely in a state of siege. Business must be entirely suspended, for the European population is engrossed with the necessary measures of precaution. Two dangers menace the inhabitants simultaneously. The Nienfei and the revolted Braves are crowded alternately. In addition to the news we published yesterday we now give some further extracts from the *Hankow Times* of the 27th:—

Hankow is actually in a state of siege, the wall is in its entire length freshly manned, tents and flags are seen at uniform distances along it, and throughout all hours of the day and night the sound of cannon is heard booming through the air. The gates are shut, and the refugees from the country flock in for protection by a narrow space on the extreme edge of the river bank, between burrowdes formed at pandemonium hastily thrown up, whilst a perfect exodus of the natives of the town itself took place in the middle of the week. Such is they are the defences of Hankow are complete. Against an unarmed force, as the Nienfei are known to be, they may avail somewhat, if the soldiers on the wall can be kept in face of the enemy when it arrives. Against any determined attack by armed troops, and those even Chinese, the defence afforded by the wall and the troops it is simply ridiculous. From all Chinese sources, we must infer that the hordes of Nienfei are countless in numbers. They are said to reach from Yang-tsze to Shahow, that is, to be completely encircling Hankow N. and E. a distance of about 15 or 20 miles, and the country people are coming in from the whole surrounding district in regular caravans, and may be carrying their beds and bedding, fowls and furniture, all packed up together and disappearing somewhere in the native town. On the Bund all is excitement, the volunteers, consisting now of almost every foreign resident, drill daily. The French and English gunboats are always busy either cooling, landing guns, getting up steam or sending men on shore to drill. On Thursday the English gunboats went down the river with the British and French Consuls on board to reconnoitre and was information was obtained will be made public. Another party on horseback was sent out for the same purpose the same morning, and found that for some ten miles all was quiet at the moment, but we hear they were informed that the revolted troops whose return to their duty has been already notified, have only consented to do so as a very temporary measure, and if within five days (to-day being the fifth) their 18 month's arrears are not satisfied, they will either march on Hankow or Woochang or else join the Nienfei and other rebels. The infatuation of the mandarins in driving the troops to such desperate measures is incomprehensible and it would be almost reasonable to infer that the treasurer of this Province has some interior designs in thus breeding revolt and rebellion under the very walls of Woochang. The Treasury contains it is well known, little less than a million Taels (if not more) and the arrears amount to between two or three hundred thousand. The Governor General, it is said, has issued orders for the payment of this money, or so much of it as is usually given (for Chinese troops never receive or expect to receive more than a third of their pay, though of course the public accounts are charged with the whole) yet notwithstanding these orders the Treasurer is said to refuse payment, alleging that his Treasury is empty. Ching Ta Keih, the leader of these Braves after much weeping before the Governor General and praying either to be supplied with their pay or he himself executed at once, actually received from the Treasurer *an order for Tls. 20,000 payable after China New Year.* Such are the stories we are told by our Chinese friends, and they are supported by the general uniformity of their tenor and habitual criminality of the Mandarins in these matters. Would it not be possible for the Foreign Consuls to insist on the immediate payment of the amount, one and thus put an end to the danger, or for the Ministers at Peking to bring the facts of the case to the notice of the Emperor himself, and obtain the deserved punishment of every officer here who has brought this state of things to pass? The copy of the Notification issued by the English and French Consuls will be found in our columns and will shew the state of hourly insecurity and anxiety we are living in.

The consequences of the crisis to which matters have been brought by Mandarin inspecity, or worse, has been the absolute stoppage of all Trade. The hunting interest alone prospers, every sampan being busily engaged in ferrying passengers and goods across the Yangtze day and night. Yester day the exodus was stayed by the report that the Nienfei had fallen back some ten le, but we may at any moment witness a worse panic than has yet occured, if the most trifling unfavourable report is quickly magnified a hundred fold.

The same paper received just before going to press in account of the *reconnaissance* made by the gunboats on the 25th.

The party found Yangtze partly burned down, and the opposite side of the Yangtze literally black and alive with human beings who had fled to that side of the River. The Consuls and Commanders of the gunboats at once landed with an escort of twenty five small-arm men, and made for a village about six miles inshore, where smoke was observed to be rising as from burning houses. About a quarter of a mile from a large village called Shi-lea-kang, they suddenly came upon eight men mounted, and one on foot, all armed with lances. Two of the mounted men were adorned with scarfs of scarlet silk, and one held a small banner. All appeared heavily laden about the saddles with bundles and bags. On spying them the armed party endeavored at double quick to head them on a path to the left, as the villagers, dreaded they must move in that direction in order to get their camp. The mounted men, however, having the advantage reached the desired point first, but only by about 150 yards. They were then summoned to halt, but took no notice. Unlucky a bluejacket without waiting for the order fired, when as if by magic, the loads had about them tubled off, and turned out to be women and girls, and the ponies, free of their burdens, commenced to rostrum at a lively trot. Orders were given to fire and some 30 or 40 bullets were sent after the rascals but unfortunately the bluejackets had got so disomposed by the unexpected double quick up the hill, that not one shot took effect. On counting up the captives returned the party found that they had freed no less than eight females, and one elderly man, who doubtless had been taken with a view to ransom. The poor women did not exhibit much emotion either way. Probably they thought at first that they had fallen out of the frying-pan into the fire. But when they discovered that they were really free they gave a sickly smile of satisfaction and disappeared. The gratitude, however, of the few villagers about was boundless. They pressed tea and spirits on the party, and entreated them to stay by them, if only for a while, describing the atrocities to which they were daily and nightly subjected as something very terrible. It appeared the party that the mounted men were revolted braves not "Nienfei." There were none of the latter, they declared, within sixty miles. The braves, they said were encamped in two bodies. An advanced and smaller body at Le-kaoke, and the other or main camp at Sin-chow. Their combined force could not be ascertained, but the villagers asserted that they were known to be without matchlocks, guns, or ammunition, and that their only arms were lances and swords. The main body, the villagers reported, had not been near them, but they were daily visited by small mounted parties of from four to eight men, who carried off all the young women and clothing, they took a fancy to. The Mandarins, although close at hand with gunboats and troops, had, they declared, done nothing for their protection.

The reconnoitring party had no time to penetrate further, so they returned to the gunboat and got back into town about nine o'clock P.M.

Police Reports.

HONGKONG, *February 7th* 1866.

BEFORE THE HON. J. C. WHITE, ESQ.

P. O. 382 and P. O. 375 (Indians) were charged with neglect of duty.

William Slattery sworn—I am a corporal in the 9th. On the evening of the 5th inst. I was walking for my own pleasure through Spring Gardens with a comrade. A Chinese woman shouted out "soldier! soldier!" Hearing her call again and hearing a noise I went over to the house from where the call proceeded, and found three or four Indian constables standing opposite the door. Both the prisoners were there, and I could identify a third Indian who was there also. They had their carbines and seemed to be on duty. I heard a cry of "murder" upstairs. I asked the constables to go upstairs along with me and he refused to go saying "you go; you more better". I and my comrade went upstairs and at the head of the stairs I found a woman who was bleeding from the mouth and the nose. I did not see any one else in the house. I carried the woman downstairs to my arms and left her below in charge of my comrade, while I returned upstairs to search the house for the thieves. When I went upstairs for the second time the constable went with me. I found no one in the house when I went up the second time. When I came down again I saw some men in the custody of the water police. I heard that they had been captured under a bed. The second prisoner when I asked him to go up said "you go you more better." The prisoner asked no questions.

Thomas Reavy sworn—I am a private in the 9th. I was walking with the corporal on the evening of the 5th. About 8 P.M. we were on a road at the water's edge. As we were passing by a house a Chinawoman called out "soldier". We went over to the house and I saw several constables there. The prisoners were two of the constables that were there. They were standing outside the door and had their carbines; apparently on duty. I said to one of the prisoners "you had better go upstairs". I then heard a cry of "murder" in a woman's voice. In reply to my telling him to go in, the prisoner said "you go up; you more better than me." I and my comrade then went up stairs. There was a door made fast with a piece of lentcher. We found a woman at the head of the stairs in a fainting state and bleeding. The constable carried her down stairs. When I got down stairs there was a crowd assembled. I told the corporal to leave the woman in my charge, and to go up stairs again, and take two constables with him and try and find the thieves. I afterwards saw two Chinese in charge of the water police. I swear that when I asked the prisoner to go up stairs he said "you go you more better than me." Both the prisoners refused to go.

No questions.

An Indian private watchman was then declared and said—I know the house in question. I live in the next street to it. I heard a great disturbances when I was in bed, and thinking it was a fire, I went to see what the matter was. I went to the house and found two constables and two soldiers there. They and there were thieves in the house, and I went home to get a sword. When I came back I saw the constable was upstairs. I did not hear the prisoners say anything. I did not hear them speak.

Ly Asing declared: I am a lokong No. 8. I was at Wanchai on Monday evening at 7.30. I was on duty in the police house. I heard the people in

Notices of Firms.

MR. JAMES GOODRICH, is authorised to sign our firm from this date, per procuration.
BRADLEY & Co.
3m 223 Swatow, 31st January, 1866. 6-2

NOTICE.
THE interest and responsibility in our firm of Mr. R. BEEF, RICHARD WESTALL, and Mr. RENDAL, HUMPERON CHAMBERS, ceased on 31st ultimo, and Mr. WILLIAM HARGREAVES, is this day admitted a Partner.
Our Partners in China now are Mr. WILLIAM HARGREAVES, Mr. ROBERT BEANO, and Mr. JUSTUS WILLIAM HENRY FOURNIER.
SMITH, KENNEDY, & Co.
2m 3 Hongkong, 1st January, 1866.

NOTICE.
THE business of the undersigned will in future be carried on under the same and firm of ALFRED WRIGHT & Co.
ALFRED WRIGHT,
Chemist, and Druggist.
tf 8 Hongkong, 1st January, 1866.

WE have authorised Mr. AUGUST BAUSKMEISTER to sign our firm per procuration.
OXFORD & Co.
3m 43 Hongkong, 1st January, 1866.

NOTICE.
MR. R. SEUIL, having taken over the business of the "HONGKONG INN," will be responsible for all debts due upon the house.
JOHN McNULTY.
tf 48 Hongkong, 5th January, 1866.

NOTICE.
I Have this day established myself at this Port as MERCHANT, COMMISSION AGENT, and GENERAL STOREKEEPER.
E. LEHMANN.
3m 84 Macao, 10th January, 1866.

THE Interest and responsibility of the late Mr. ROBERT FERGUSON in our Firm ceased on the 11th October 1865, and Mr. FREDERICK FURDER has been this day admitted a Partner.
H. D. BROWN & Co.
tf 57 Amoy, 1st January, 1866.

NOTICE.
WE have this day admitted Messrs WILLIAM WILSON, JOHN SMITH and JOHN F. ROSE, as partners in our Firm.
MACEWEN & Co.
tf 18 Hongkong, 2nd January, 1866.

I Have this day established myself at the Pagoda Anchorage as Marine Surveyor and General Commission Agent.
JOHN C. BAYNTON.
Pagoda Anchorage.
tf 1014 Foochow, 12th July, 1865.

NOTICE.
WE have to-day authorised Mr. LOUIS HAUSCHILD, to sign our Firm per procuration.
BAHLMANN & Co.
3m 4 Hongkong, 1st January, 1866.

NOTICE.
I have this day established myself at this port as GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT under the firm of R. BRONDSTED & Co.
RUD. BRONDSTED.
2m 30 Hankow, 3rd January, 1866.

THE authority granted to Mr. THOMAS LANGASTER LARKEN to sign our firm ceases from this date.
JOHN FORSTER & Co.
tf 2663 Foochow, 16th October, 1865. n-30

I have this day established myself at this place as Merchant and Commission Agent under the firm of ALEXR. BIELFELD.
ALEXANDER O. F. BIELFELD.
6m 2793 Hongkong, 1st November, 1865.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for Lloyds at CANTON and MACAO.
Communications at Macao to be addressed to Mr. R. L. LANGE, H.B.M. Consular Agent there.
BILMAN & Co.
tf Hongkong, 25th April, 1865.

THE Copartnership between Mr. R. SAYLE and Mr. T. PEACOCK, in the Victoria Exchange Establishment under the name of THOMAS PEACOCK will from this date be carried on under the style and firm of SAYLE, PEACOCK & Co.
Mr. W. J. STEWART is authorised to sign our firm per procuration at branch establishment Shanghai.
SAYLE, PEACOCK & Co.
Victoria Exchange.
tf 2152 Hongkong, 23th September, 1865.

THE Undersigned having taken over the business of Messrs. BOWRA & Co. in this Colony from Mr. W. A. BOWRA (who retires from the firm this day) beg to solicit a continuance of the patronage hitherto so liberally bestowed.
E. M. HARBANT.
GEO. A. F. NORRIS.
Hongkong, 1st May, 1862.

NOTICE.
WE have this day established ourselves at this Port under the style of HABEKER, HAGENKOR & Co., as Merchants and Commission Agents.
R. HABEKER.
F. W. HAGENKORN.
tf 1769 Hongkong, 1st July, 1865.

I Have this day admitted into partnership Mr. THOMAS MERCER. The business will be hereafter continued under the style of THOMAS & MERCER.
THOMAS THOMAS.
Public Tea Inspector and Commission Agent.
tf 1379 13.5 Canton, 1st May, 1865.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. THOMAS OSBORN, in our firm ceased on the 31st December, 1865; and Mr. ERNEST DEACON has this day been admitted a partner.
DEACON & Co.
tf 21 Canton, 1st January, 1866.

NOTICE.
THE interest and responsibility of ROBERT JAMES FARRIMOND, ROBERT MURHEID RUDDIS, (deceased) and JAMES WHITLOW, in our Establishments in China ceased yesterday, and today, we have admitted as partners therein CHARLAND WILLIAM FARRIMOND, JOSHUA FARRIMOND HOLLIDAY, RICHARD ROBERT, and JOSEPH PERCOTT BARNES.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
2m 9 Hongkong, 1st January, 1866.

NOTICE.
THE interest and responsibility of Mr. O. A. HUBENER, and of Mr. ARTHUR BOGER in our Firm ceased on the 31st December, 1864, and 31st December, 1865 respectively.
Mr. H. EMIL HUBENER, and Mr. OSCAR BOGER have this day been admitted partners in our firm.
HOURJAH HUBENER & Co.
3m 3 China, 1st January, 1866.

WE have this day Established a Branch of our Firm in Hongkong.
Office Stanley Street No. 19, corner of Pottinger Street.
RAYNAL & Co.
6m 2202 Macao, 23rd August, 1865. 8-24

NOTICE
MR. FREDERICK CHARLES BROWN has this day been admitted a Partner in our firm, which now consists of Messrs W. WILSON, B. NICHOLLS, and F. C. BROWN.
WILSON, NICHOLLS & Co.
tf 92 Amoy, 1st January, 1866.

Chi Tuh.
上海聚泰行
I have established myself at this Port as Public TEA INSPECTOR.
J. OSBORNE
6m 2880 Shanghai, 26th November, 1865 p-29

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned in conjunction with Mr JOSEPH JOSHUA, at Singapore, has this day established himself as Merchant and Agent, under the firm and style of JOSHUA & Co.
EZEKIEL SASSOON BENJAMIN.
1m 22 Hongkong, 1st February, 1866.

MESSRS MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. having this day taken over our inter st in our CARGO BOATS will in future conduct the Business thereof.
R. McGREGOR & Co.
tf 1819 Hongkong, 5th July, 1865.

WITH reference to the above the undersigned are now prepared to ship, load and Store Cargo,
MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.
tf 1819 Hongkong, 5th July, 1865.

MR. DAVID WELSH has this day been admitted a Partner in our Firm.
R. McGREGOR & Co.
tf 56 Hongkong, 1st January, 1866.

MR. JAMES GEORGE CASWELL is this day admitted a Partner in our Firm.
WM. G. HALE & Co.
6m 2631 Saigon 1st October, 1865. 10-21

NOTICE
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. RUSS TOMJEE DHUNJEESHAW in our firm in China ceased on the 19th October, 1865.
P. F. CAMA & Co.
3m 112 Hongkong, 15th January, 1866.

Notices of Firms.

MR. W. C. VAN OORDT, has this day been admitted a partner in our Firm.
BOSMAN & Co.
tf Hongkong, 1st April 1865.

DURING the temporary absence of BARON DE CHEZAL and his SON, from China, Mr. F. A. DA CUNHA, is authorized to sign the name of our firm, per procuration.
A. A. DE MELLO & Co.
3m 2926 Macao, 1st December, 1865. d-5

THE Interest and responsibility of Mr. W. HALLENSTEBEN, in our Firm has ceased.
GROSSER & Co.
Japan, 31st December, 1864.

MR. H. BOMBEN has been admitted a partner in our Firm at this port.
GROSSER & Co.
tf 761 Nagasaki, 1st February, 1865.

WE have this day admitted Mr. W. HOLTZAPPEL as a Partner in our Firm.
LINCKER & Co.
tf 2179 Swatow, 10th August, 1865. 22-8

WE have established a Branch of our Firm at Chefoo, and Mr. J. D. THOMSEN will sign our Firm per procuration at that place.
MEADOWS & Co.
tf-2800 Tientsin, 2nd November, 1865.

THE business of the undersigned being about to be shortly closed, persons having claims against them are requested to send them in at once before the 1st of October next.
C. B. WALA & Co.
tf 2191 Hongkong, 21st September, 1865.

THE undersigned having purchased from D. B. Vivas, Esq., the Business, good will, stock and fixtures of the proprietary known as the Oriental Hotel, at Hsiam Canton, respectfully solicits a share of public patronage.
D. DE BARROS.
tf 3918 Canton, 16th December, 1865. d-16

NOTICE
AS Mr. NETHOOBHOY JAVAIR is to leave this, Mr. BYRAMJEE JEWANJEE KAWASJEE is authorized to sign my firm from this date.
REHEMOOBHOY HABIBBHOY.
2m 22 Hongkong, 3rd January, 1866.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. ALEXR. F. BIELFELD in our Firm ceased on the 1st of August 1865.
ARNEMANN & Co.
tf 2416 Hongkong, 23rd September, 1865.

NOTICE.
MR. M. DE LANGE, has this day been admitted a partner in our Firm.
LANDSTEIN & Co.
tf 15 Hongkong, 2nd January, 1866.

THE interest and responsibility of M. EDWARD GODSOLPH HEDGE in our firm ceased on the 31st January, 1865, and Mr. THOMAS B. HEDGE was admitted a partner at that date.
Mr. T. B. CUNNINGHAM is authorised to sign our firm from this date.
HEDGE & Co.
3m 226 Foochow, 1st February 1866.

Vessels on the Berth.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
THE A 1 American Ship
"MARY GLOVER,"
will have immediate despatch.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 175 Hongkong, 25th January, 1866.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
THE
"TEUTONIA,"
Captain Christofers will have quick despatch.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BOSMAN & Co.
tf 260 Hongkong, 8th February, 1866.

FOR
SHANGHAI, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN.
THE Steam-ship
"YEDDO,"
Captain Laity, will load at Canton for the above ports, and will be despatched via Hongkong about the middle of February.
For freight or Passage, apply to
DEACON & Co.
Canton,
or to JOHN BURD & Co.
Hongkong.
1m 117 Hongkong, 16th January, 1866.

FOR MANILA, DIRECT.
THE Spanish Brig.
"SAN LORENZO,"
Sta. Cahona, captain, will have quick dispatch for the above port.
For Freight or Passage apply to
REYNOLDS & Co.
1w 181 Hongkong, 26th January, 1866.

FOR NEW YORK.
THE A 1 British Ship
"EASTWARD HO,"
Captain Byrne, will load at Whampoa for the above port, and will have early despatch.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 86 Hongkong, 10th January, 1866.

FOR TIENTSIN.
(Custom House Jetty)
THE A 1 British Schooner
"MUSIC,"
Captain Klein is loading here and at Whampoa for the above port, and will have quick despatch.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
E. & J. MEYER.
tf 256 Hongkong, 7th February, 1866.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.
THE Steam-ship
"UNDINE,"
Captain Pitman, will be despatched for the above ports This day, at 5 P.M., to leave on Sunday morning at daylight.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
D. LAPRAIK.
d2 269 Hongkong, 8th February, 1866.

For Freight or Charter.

THE A 1 British Barque
"PRIDE OF THE WEST,"
Captain Crowan, of 351 tons Register.
Apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
tf 2873 Hongkong, 28th November, 1865.

THE A 1 French Surgon
"BENGALI,"
422 of Tons Captain Deniante
Apply to
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 53 Hongkong, 5th January, 1866.

For Sale.

RACES! RACES! RACES!!!
To Close an Invoice.
MESSRS. LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co., are authorized to sell Rand and Beckley's Gentlemen's and Ladies' Saddles with apportenances, complete at $50 for best Ladies Saddles with 3rd head or crutch slipper and girths complete.
$25 for best gents pigskin Saddles with spring bars, irons, leathers, and girths complete.
Also,
Double and Single Bridles, Halters Saddle Cloths, Horse Clothes, Martingale, Horse and Ponies Harness complete.
&c., &c., &c.
tf 103 Hongkong, 13th January, 1866.

Ex "*Fiery Cross.*"
CHAFF Cutting Machines No. 1 & 2 sizes.
TALBOT & Co.
114 & 116, Queen's Road.
2w 192 Hongkong, 29th January, 1866.

EX OVERLAND MAIL.
PRIME Albert Cheese.
TALBOT & Co.
114 116, Queen's Road.
2w 191 Hongkong, 29th January, 1866.

EX "*Dilpussund*"
Dawson and Sons (London made)
BOOTS and SHOES.
MULLER & CLAUSSEN.
tf 254 Hongkong, 7th February, 1866.

Vessels Loading.

DESTINATION	VESSEL'S NAME	CAPTAIN	AT	FOR FREIGHT APPLY TO	TO BE DISPATCHED
NEW YORK	Eastward Ho	Byrne	Whampoa	Russell & Co.	Quick dispatch.
S'HAI, CHEFOO, & TIENTSIN	Yedda, str.	Laity	Hongkong	John Burd & Co.	About middle of Feby.
S'PORE, PENANG, & COLOMBO	Adelaide	W. H. Gregory	Hongkong	Rob. S. Walker & Co.	Quick dispatch.
SAN FRANCISCO	Mary Glover	Stone	Hongkong	Augustine Heard & Co.	Quick dispatch.
Do	Teutonia	Christoffers	Hongkong	Bosman & Co	Quick dispatch.
MANILA—*direct*	San Lorenzo	Caloma	Hongkong	Reynolds & Co.	Quick dispatch
SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW	Undine	Pitman	Hongkong	D. Lapraik	To-morrow at daylight.
TIENTSIN	Music	Klein	Hongkong	E. & J. Meyer	Quick dispatch

For Sale.

FOR SALE.
DELIVERABLE in Hongkong, Shanghai or elsewhere in China.
The ENGINES and BOILERS of the East Indian Railway Company's Steamers "*Princess Royal*," and "*Princess Helena*," manufactured at Newcastle upon Tyne, by Messrs. Robert Stephenson & Co.
"Princess Royal."
A pair of Condensing Engines, having 2 Diagonal Oscillating Cylinders, 52 inches diameter 42 inches stroke, 170 H.P. nominal, fixed in framing of best wrought iron. A pair of 10 H.P. Donkey Engines for fitting Boilers, working Pumps & Winches. Paddle Wheels 15 feet 6 inches diameter fitted with feathering floats.
There are 4 Boilers of Steel constructed upon the Loco principle. Each Boiler has 122 wrought iron tubes, 2 inches in diameter. Boiler outside diameter, 5 feet 44 inches; ordinary working pressure, 20 lbs to the square inch.
"Princess Helena."
The Engines are High Pressure, with 4 Diagonal Oscillating Cylinders 294 inches diameter, 52 inches stroke, 470 H.P. nominal, with Donkey Engines, &c., complete. These Engines are quite new, and have been carefully looked after since their arrival in Calcutta.
The Boilers are of exactly the same description as those of the *Princess Royal*.
The above Engines and Boilers are of the best material and workmanship, are fitted with all the latest improvements, and are well worth the attention of parties requiring Machinery of this description.
For further particulars apply to
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
tf 2707 Hongkong, 9th November, 1865.

BY THE LAST OVERLAND MAIL AND LATE ARRIVALS.
MULLER & CLAUSSEN have received their last Invoices of Winter Clothing and have now on hand a large and well selected Stock of every Useful Article, comprising:—
Wingcoats,
Overcoats,
Heavy complete Suits,
Duckskin and Light Tweed Suits in great variety,
Finest Dress Coats, and Frock Coats,
Black Tressers and Vests,
Crimean and Merino Shirts,
White Shirts and Shirt Collars,
Merino and Woollen Socks,
Merino and Silk undershirts and Drawers,
Neckties and Shawls,
Felt Hats,
White and Coloured Kid, Deerskin, and Woollen Gloves,
Boots and Shoes (Paris made),
Umbrellas (Fox Patent),
Walking Sticks, Sword Canes.
Also
Finest Black Cloth, Black and Coloured, Buckskins, White and Fancy Flannels,
Tweeds, etc., etc.
Also
Perfumes, Essences, Pomades, Soaps, etc.
Toys in great variety,
And
A large assortment of Ladies' Boots,
tf 2952 Hongkong, 7th December, 1865.

1238 Ex "*Dilpussund*"
Sheets 18 @ 24 cs. MUNTZ'S YELLOW METAL.
TALBOT & Co.
114 and 116, Queen's Road.
2w 4202 Hongkong, 20th January, 1866.

Ex "*Fiery Cross*"
PRIME Cumberland HAMS.
TALBOT & Co.
114 and 116, Queen's Road.
2w 4201 Hongkong, 30th January, 1866.

FIGS. FIGS. FIGS. FIGS.
BOWRA & Co. have just received from Smyrna per last French Mail a few Boxes of Blue BLEME FIGS.
tf3061 Hongkong, 22nd December, 1865.

FOR SALE.
PONY, sound and in fair condition.
For particulars apply at the "Daily Press" Office.
tf 156 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1864.

FOR SALE and now on view at the Show Rooms of the Undersigned,
A MAGNIFICENT PIANO FORTE, made expressly for this Climate.
Also
A Maynard Breech Loading RIFLE and CARTRIDGES.
BOWRA & Co.
tf 3101 Hongkong, 28th December, 1865

ATHAR'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases
" SHERRY " 3 "
" PORT " 2 "
" CLARET " 1 "
BIRLEY & Co.

FOR SALE.
EX "*SATELLITE*"
JAVA TEAK WOOD BEAMS,
950 measuring from 10 @ 34 feet long, and 7@ 14 inches Square.
For further particulars, apply
JOHNSON & Co.
tf 2864 Hongkong, 25th November, 1865.

MOET'S CHAMPAGNE.
ST. ESTEPHE CLARET.
DE LAAGE PILS & Co's FINE PALE BRANDY.
ALFRED WILKINSON & Co.
tf 2599 Hongkong, 18th October, 1865.

J. & B. TENNENT'S Pale Ale and Brown Stout.
John Fenlger & Sons, Paints and Linseed Oil.
David Corson & Sons Canvas and Twine.
John Crabbie & Co's Gingerwine.
Tuttoban Manila Rope.
Yellow Metal and Nails.
Swedish Tar and Pitch.
Apply to
OXFORD & Co.
tf 2483 Hongkong, 4th October, 1865.

500,000 Feet Pine and Fir Timber
Plank and Board from 1 inch thick up to 12 inches square,
25,000—Cubic Feet Teak Timber, Plank and Boards, from ½ inch thick up to 14 inches square.
SHIP'S KNEES pieces from 12 to 18 inches.
For Sale in lots to Suit at the
HONGKONG TIMBER YARD!
Wanchai.
Also
Storage for Timber.
Apply to S. E. Burnows & Sons

FOR SALE,
JUST received Ex Overland Steamer an Invoice of Newest and Superior Dawson & Son's BOOTS and SHOES.
TUNGUEONG.
111, Queen's Road, West,
tf 3055 Hongkong, 21st December, 1865.

SHERRY, Port, Moselle, Champagne, Claret Hock, and brandy, Also Bass Pale Ale in Hhds., Barrels and Kilderkins.
Apply to
SEVONS & Co.
tf Hongkong, 17th August, 1864.

Ex "*Fiery Cross*"
BASS'S Beer in quarts and pints.
Guinnesse's Stout in quarts and pints.
TALBOT & Co.
114 & 116 Queen's Road.
2w 193 Hongkong, 20th January, 1866.

Ex Mail Steamer "*Jeanie*"
RICH BLACK GLACE SILKS, 75c. to $2.50 per yard, wide width.
Fancy Colored Silk Dresses, $6.00 to $8 per Dress, Ball and Dinner Dresses, (very choice.
Ladies Trimmed Hats.
" Bonnets.
Belt Ribbons, silks, etc.
SAYLE, PEACOCK & Co.
Victoria Exchange,
tf 3037 Hongkong, 27th December, 1865.

For Sale.

AT THE BAZAAR EUROPEAN.
UHLMAN beg to invite his Friends and the Public to inspect his New Stock of Drapery, Haberdashery, Hosiery Jewellery and Fancy Goods, &c., arrived by last Mail, which will be disposed of at very moderate prices, viz:—
Cotton, Linen and Woollen Shirts.
Ready made Clothing.
Felt Hats (assorted Shapes and Colors.)
Table Covers.
Towelling.
Men's Socks.
Rugs.
Umbrellas.
French and English Boots.
Perfumery.
Opera Glasses.
Watches (Gold and Silver.)
Gold Chains.
Meerschaum Pipes and Cigar Holders, and several other Articles too numerous to mention.
tf 2599 Hongkong, 18th October, 1865.

FOR SALE.
THE well known PONY
"*CUPID.*"
Height 12¾, Winner of the "Griffin Plate" at the late Canton Meeting.
Apply to G. Office of this Paper.
tf 108 Hongkong, 15th January, 1866.

FOR SALE.
KINAHAN'S LL WHISKEY, (guaranteed)
RAY & Co.
1m 101 Hongkong, 12th January, 1866.

A small Invoice of
Canvas,
Cordage and Twine,
White Lead,
White Zinc,
Green Paint.
For particulars apply to
JOHNSON & Co.
tf 2358 Hongkong, 6th December, 1865.

FOR SALE.
1000 VOLUMES of the newest and best Novels in German Translations.
PETERSEN, BROTHERS & Co.
24 and 25 Praya.
65 tf Hongkong, 5th January, 1866.

FOR SALE.
Ex "*Fiery Cross,*"
BASS'S ALE in pints and quarts, Guinness's Stout in quarts and pints, Ginger Brandy.
J. B. WATSON,
Stag Hotel.
tf 227 Hongkong, 3rd February, 1866.

HARNESS.
FOR SALE A Set of Double PONY HARNESS very complete, and handsome, best London make, Price $50.
Apply to
L. J. DA SILVA,
Office of this Paper.
tf 2758 Hongkong, 8th November, 1865.

FOR SALE.
Ex "*Sovereign of India,*"
SETS GARDEN TOOLS,
Weeding Forks.
Garden Hatchets.
" Tool Chests.
" Shears.
" Hoes and Lines.
Dutch Hoes.
Garden "
Transplanters.
Edging Knives.
Garden Trowels.
" Spades.
" Rakes.
Pruning Saws.
Sing-Handle Pruning Knives.
Also.
Gentlemen's Small Chests of Carpenters' Tools.
BOWRA & Co.
1m 246 Hongkong, 6th February, 1866.

JUST received ex Mail Steamer, and for sale by the undersigned, an Invoice of the latest Admiralty Charts, consisting of the "China Sea," from the Straits of Sunda to the Gulf of Petcheli the "Japanese Seas," and the "Bay of Bengal," including the "Burman Rico Ports," and the "Straits of Malacca."
Apply to
L. J. DA SILVA.
Office of this paper.
tf 2095 Hongkong, 9th August, 1865.

ENGLISH Made BOOTS and SHOES.
Apply to
ALLUM,
Queen's Road, opposite the Market.
1y 2348 Hongkong, 14th September, 1865.

CLEAN BENGAL GRAM in bags, at $6 per bag. Apply to
A. L. AGADEG, Jr.
tf 1 Hongkong, 16th January, 1866.

EX "*Fiery Cross*" "*Dilpussund*" "*Sovereign of India*" and "*Tantung*"
Dinner, Dessert, Breakfast, and Toilet services.
Vases and Statuary.
Gas Chandeliers and Brackets in crystal, bronze and lacquer.
Gutter Pipes.
Plate Baskets.
Bagatelle Tables.
Fancy Flannels, shirts, neckties, and collars.
Perfumery.
Boots and Shoes.
Eyelet presses, Courier bags, Dressing cases etc
Glassware in new designs.
Iron Bedsteads.
Table Damasks and Napkins.
Cocoa matting.
Harness Leather.
Billiard gear.
Terry's rifles, and Sharp's repeaters complete.
Blacksmith's bellows.
Umbrellas.
Mathematical instruments.
Champagne taps.
Canvas, Rope, Paints, etc.
New lots of Wine, Beer, Spirits, Oilman's stores, and Hams and Cheese.
And Overland, for the seas in.
Roofing Hats and Derby hells, Scarves, gloves, etc.
Betting books, Valentines.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
2w 251 Hongkong, 7th February, 1866.

A large assortment of Woollen, Merino and Silk UNDERCLOTHING.
MULLER & CLAUSSEN.
2w 207 Hongkong, 30th January, 1866.

FOR SALE.
A BAY Australian HORSE, up to 16 Stone the property of W. Wilson, Esq.
tf 190 Hongkong, 9th January, 1866.

FOR SALE.
A GREY ARAB HORSE, the Property of O. Bertrand, Esq.
tf 188 Hongkong 27th January, 1866.

EX "*Cary & Jane.*"
MORNINGGOWNS.
MULLER & CLAUSSEN.
2w 206 Hongkong, 30th January, 1866.

MANILA CIGARS AND CHEROOTS.
FOR SALE, RETAIL.
CERTIFIED CAVITES, CHEROOTS AND CIGARS. Very Superior and in prime condition.
per Box of 500 ..... $8
SUPERIOR GOVERNMENT CIGARS AND CHEROOTS. November make in prime condition.
per Box of 500 ..... $6.50
Apply to
J. J. DA SILVA.
Office of this Paper.
1452 Hongkong, 22nd May, 1865.

COALS suitable for HOUSEHOLD purposes.
Apply to
R. S. WALKER & Co.
tf 2815 Hongkong, 18th November, 1865.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.
THE House and Godowns on the Praya, formerly occupied by Messrs. Lindsay & Co.
Apply to
T. G. LINSTEAD.
tf 221 Hongkong, 1st February, 1866.

FOR SALE.
EX Fresh arrivals
Guinness' Stout in Quarts and Pints
Bass' Ale in do. do.
Hennessy's Brandy
Port and Sherry Wines
Whiskey
Old Tom
Jamaica Rum
Preserved Meats and Soups.
MACEWEN & Co.
1w 257 Praya East Hongkong, 7th Feb. 1866.

FOR SALE.
INLAND LOTS Nos. 146 and 576, with the residence known as "Rose Hill," with extensive Stables and Outbuildings, having a frontage of 170 feet upon Caine Road, and extending through to Robinson Road 475 feet in depth, giving an area of upwards of 80,000 feet.
Apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Queen's Road.
tf 248 Hongkong, 7th February, 1866.

JUST LANDED.
EX *Fiery Cross Dilpussund* and *Sovereign of India.*
Guinness' Stout in quarts and pints bottled by Burke in Dublin.
Bass Pale Ale in quarts and pints.
ditto in wood.
Hennessy's and Martell's Brandy.
Gingerwine, Gingerbrandy, Orange bitters and Old Tom from Swain Board & Co's; Old Port and Pale Sherry of different brands, Peacock's patent composition for iron vessels.
Hubbuck White Zinc and lead.
ditto red lead, black paint, etc. etc.
ditto Boiled and raw Linseed oil in casks.
ditto Bright and Black varnish.
York hams from Compton Brothers.
Wiltshire Cheese ditto.
Breakfast Bacon ditto.
Oilman's stores of every description.
Cocoa and Milk in tins.
Chocolate and Milk in tins
Best dutch Chocolate in cakes.
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 237 Hongkong, 8th February, 1866.

EX "*Dilpussund*"
DRAB SHELLS ANGLESEA HATS.
MULLER & CLAUSSEN.
tf 255 Hongkong, 7th February, 1866.

JUST RECEIVED.
LADIES' Black Silk Mantles, Colored Opera Cloaks and Hoods.
A choice Assortment of Flowers, Wreaths, etc.
White Kid Gloves.
White Kid Boots in all qualities for evening wear
Also Ladies Walking and House Boots and Shoes.
Cricket and Boating Shoes, by
H. MARSH & Co.
tf 47 Hongkong, 6th January, 1866.

HOCK STEINBERG 1857 in Cases of 1 dozen
HOCK JOHANNESBERG 1867, Cases of 1 dozen.
SPARKLING MOSELLE NONPARIEL, in Cases of 1 dozen.
HOCK EHRENBREITSTEIN, PALE in Cases of 1 dozen.
Apply to
REYNOLDS & Co.
tf 1636 Hongkong, 10th June, 1865.

EX MAIL STEAMER, & "*SYDNEY EGERIA,*" FROM LONDON.
A Large assortment of Fancy Dresses.
Poplins, Linos, Bull Dresses, Black and Colored French Merinos, &c.
A carefully selected stock of the newest and choicest patterns in Silk and Cloth Mantles.
Very elegant Zouaves and Capelines in Silk and Cloth.
Plain and embroidered pocket Handkerchiefs.
" " trimmed with Lace.
Woollen and Cotton Hosiery.
A very large lot of French Boots for Ladies.
" " " and Slippers for Gentlemen.
A selection of the newest styles in Straw and Felt Hats for Ladies.
Woollen Cloths, Cassimeres, &c. in great variety
Felt Hats for Gentlemen, newest shapes,
Linen and Cotton Shirts.
Crimean Flannel
Gentlemen's Shirt Collars of all the newest patterns.
Neckties and Scarves, white Muslin dress Neckties.
Fancy Petticoats, white, and fancy Flannel white Cricketing Flannel, printed French Calicoes, &c., &c.
French and English Perfumery from the best manufacturers.
Articles de Paris, such as Dressing cases (Ladies's and Gentlemen's), Earrings, Fancy Combs, &c.
A large assortment of Toys for Children, Parlour Games, &c., &c., &c.
And
A well assorted stock of best English Saddlery, &c.
Sticks, Umbrellas, Travelling Trunks and Portmanteaus.
Horse Marianas, Mackintosh Sennas Santos, Imitation, Alex da Maris, &c., &c.
Also
A large and well selected lot of printed Wall Paper with and without borders.
A. ROYER.
Corner of Wellington and d'Aguilar Streets, opposite the Club Chambers.
tf 2894 Hongkong, 2nd December, 1865.

CAVITE No. 2 Cheroots and Cigars, in cases of 10 mils. Manila No. 2 Cheroots and Cigars, in Cases of 10 mils.
Also.
"Imperiales" in boxes.
"Regalia" in boxes.
"Londres" in boxes.
No. 1 Cheroots and Cigars in boxes.
No. 2 Cheroots and Cigars in boxes.
E. GARRETA,
Pollywood Road.
tf 2199 Hongkong, 23rd August, 1865.

FOR SALE.
Ex "*Wallace.*"
45,000 Cubic feet.
MOLAVA
BANABA,
IPIL.
Apply to
REYNOLDS & Co.
1m 144 Hongkong, 19th January 1866.

A SMALL Invoice of Choice Genuine HAVANA CIGARS.
Regalia de la Reyna Flor.
do. do. do. Fina.
Media Regalia Flor.
do. do. Fina.
Conchas Flor.
Conchas Flor Fina.
Also.
Choice Cavite and Manila Cigars.
Imperiales, Cabellanos, Regalias & Londres.
No. 1, Cavite Cigars, in Boxes of 250.
No. 2 do. do. in Boxes of 500, of 1863, 1864, and 1865.
No. 3, 4 and 5 Cigars, in Boxes of 500.
No. 1 Cavite Cheroots, in Boxes of 250.
No. 2 Cavite Cheroots, in Boxes of 500 of 1864 and 1865.
No. 3 Manila Cigars and Cheroots of 1861, 1863, 1864, and 1865.
No. 3 Manila Cheroots of 1863 and 1865.
Apply to
A. L. AGADEG, Jr.
No. 71 Wellington Street, Upstairs.
1y 2704 Hongkong, 1st November, 1865.

For Sale.

EX "*Sovereign of India*" "*Dilpussund*" "*Fiery Cross*" and other arrivals.
Gilman's stores consisting of Pearl Barley, Essence of Beef, Pure Coffee in 1 lb Tins, Patent Barley and Groats, Sauces Tart Fruits, White Wine Vinegar, Arrowroot Tapioca, Mustard, Olives, Essence of Coffee, Capers, Raspberry Vinegar, Dried Herbs Jellies, Jams and Marmalade, Maccaroni, Vermicelli, "ckles, Salad oil, Bordeos, Milk, etc. etc.
White, Green, Yellow, Blue and Scarlet Bunting, Sailmakers Sewing and Roping Palms, Sewing and Roping Needles Engineer's and Ship's Log Books, Log Slates, "Silver's" tropical sheet India Rubber packing, "Tucks," patent piston Rope, Dack Lights, Washing Soda, Lime Juice in half Hhds. soft Soap in 14 lb 28 lb and 56 lb Tins, Scupper and Rose Nails, Box Irons and Hunter's Patent Lead Coated Tin Sheets, Galvanized Wire Rope with Thimbles Hanks, etc. Galvanized Chain ¼ inch to ⅞, Holloware, consisting of Sauce Pans, Boilers, Kettles, (Fish and Tea) Frying pans,
&c., &c., &c.
TALBOT & Co.
114 and 116, Queen's Road.
1m 204 Hongkong, 30th January, 1866.

FOR SALE.
THREE HOUSES Situate in Mosque Gardens between Shelley and Mosque Streets, each containing ten Rooms, exclusive of outhouses, with a fine view of the Harbour.
Apply to A. J. S. Office of this Paper.
tf 78 Hongkong 9th January, 1866.

SULPHURIC ACID in cases of 150 lbs. net each.
Apply to S. office of this paper.
Hongkong, 20th March, 1865. 945

294 Pieces SAIGON TIMBER, suitable either for building purposes, or for Wharves. This Wood will resist the attack of Worms in Sea Water, and is Proof against White Ants.
Dimensions from 30 @ 35 feet, length 14 @ 20 inches square.
Apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 2568 Hongkong, 13th October 1865.

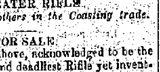
"ex *Taimine*,"
BEST Amontillado, Pale and Gravea Dark SHERRIES, in 5 dozen cases and casks.
Apply to
REYNOLDS & Co.
tf 691 Hongkong, 2nd February, 1865.

FOR SALE,
ex Dilpussund.
6 BRADFORD'S patent Washing Machines.
RAY & Co.
1m 210 Hongkong 30th January, 1866.

SPENCER'S BREECH LOADING REPEATER RIFLE.
To Captains and others in the Coasting trade.
FOR SALE.
A FEW of the above, acknowledged to be the most perfect and deadliest Rifle yet invented on view.
THOS. W. DARRINGTON,
at Mr. BROOKS, Wyndham Street.
tf 1 Hongkong, 1st January, 1866.

BOWRA & Co. have just received per the Overland Mail,
The New Work,
"PEKING and the PEKINGESE."
4w 218 Hongkong, 31st January, 1866.

TURTLE for Sale by the pound.
Apply to
YON AHOO,
Compradore,
Endicott Lane.
tf 2906 Hongkong, 4th December, 1865.



PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.
NOTICE TO SHIPPERS OF TREASURE, &c.
TO facilitate the work of Shippers, the Company have arranged to receive any Treasure intended for Shipment in their Steamers at their Offices in the Queen's Road.
Treasure will be received in this manner any day between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M., up to the day preceding that of the Steamer's departure. Should the hour fixed for leaving be later than Noon, shipments will be received on the day of departure, from 7 to 9 A.M.
Shippers desiring to avail of this arrangement will please send along with their Treasure, Shipping Orders and Receipts carefully filled up with Marks, Description, and Destination, and if the Bills of Lading are delivered at the same time the work will be greatly facilitated.
The Company of course accept the "risk of boats," &c., as covered by ordinary Marine Insurance.
With reference to the foregoing notice, it is hereby intimated that the Company's Godowns are now ready for the reception of Opium and other Cargo for shipment in the Company's Steamers, under the same conditions as stated above.
THOS. SUTHERLAND,
Superintendent.
Hongkong, 24th November, 1865.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES
DES
MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.
FROM and after this date Monsieur A. Coull will act as Agent for the above Company.
By order of the Directors
O. BE TRAND.
tf 176 Hongkong, 25th January, 1866.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES
DES
MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.
PARQUEBOTS POSTE-FRANCAIS.
STEAM
FOR
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA, MARSEILLES.
Also,
BOMBAY, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, & CALCUTTA.
ON SUNDAY, the 25th February, at 2 P.M. will the Company's Steam-ship "*ALPHEE*" Commandant de L'EGRILLE, H.I.M.N., with H.B.M's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this Port for the above places cor

Houses, Lands, Tenements, &c.

TO LET.

TO BE LET.

THE House in Wellington Street, (formerly occupied by the late General Police Station.) It contains a lot of Dining Rooms and Drawing Rooms, 21 Bed Rooms, 6 Bath Rooms, Servants Offices, Stables and Godowns.

For further particulars apply to

O. QUANEE.

Bank of India Compradore.

or Messrs Augustine Heard & Co.'s Compradore.

tf 98 Hongkong, 12th January, 1866.

TO RENT.

A SPACIOUS GODOWN on the Praya Central. Apply to

DE SILVER & Co.

tf 129 Hongkong, 17th January, 1866.

WITH immediate possession, BELMONT, a Detached residence with the adjacent Grounds at Pokfoolam, now occupied by Messrs. Stewart & Co.

Apply to GILMAN & Co.

No. 3 Praya.

tf 2253 Hongkong, 31st August, 1865.

FOUR new Large HOUSES, on the Praya Eastward of the East Guard House, each having a two-storied detached Granite Godown. Apply to

J. M. D'ALMADA,

Bridges Street.

tf 2037 Hongkong, 6th December, 1865.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

THAT newly erected commodious Dwelling HOUSE containing eight Rooms, Kitchen, Choliee Rooms, etc., also Stabling and Garden grounds situated next the residence of Captain Thomsett, West Point, between Bonham and Pokkfoolum Roads on Inland Lot No. 757. For terms apply to Mr. THOS. M. BARRINGTON, at Mr. BROOKS' Auctioneers, Wyndham Street.

tf 2931 Hongkong, 6th December, 1865.

WHARFAGE AND GODOWNS.

TO LET, GRANITE GODOWNS, abreast of the WANCHI WHARF, with or without use of the Wharf now completed, where vessels can be hauled and discharged.

Apply to

S. E. BURROWS & SONS.

tf 974 Hongkong, 24th March, 1865.

THE HOUSE, No. 19, Staunton Street, one Door East of Graham Street, containing 8 Rooms, besides Servants quarters.

Possession can be had on the 10th November, next.

Apply to J. H. COX,

at Messrs. TURNER & Co.'s

tf 2553 Hongkong, 11th October, 1865.

FOR SALE OR LET.

THAT Large Detached Dwelling house known as "HARPERVILLE," containing 10 large Rooms, Water laid on in the Bath Rooms, Kitchen Pantry, and large Stables detached, at present occupied by Col. Jonner;—Possession can be had on the 1st February.

For further particulars, apply to

J. W. PEARCH.

tf 29 Hongkong, 3rd January, 1866.

TO BE LET.

2 GRANITE GODOWNS on Marine Lot No. 745 at Wanchi, having Water frontage and about 25000 Piculs holding capacity for one or two.

Apply to

DORABJEE NOWROJEE.

f 35 Hongkong, 4th January, 1866.

THE No. 2 and No. 4, Two Storied Godowns in Spring Gardens, Praya, Marine Lot No. 21 and 25, with Offices, Comprador and Servants Rooms and Cookroom, having a Capacity of 2500 Tons each.

apply to J. J. DOS REMEDIOS,

tf 1991 Hongkong, 25th July, 1865.

TO BE LET.

with immediate possession,

THE House in Elgin Terrace (formerly occupied by the late Chief Justice Adams.)

It contains Dining and Drawing Rooms, three large Bedrooms and two Dressing Rooms, two Bath Rooms, Servants Offices, and Stabling.

For further particulars apply to

N. MARCUS, Office of Mr. Hazeland, Solicitor.

tf 2872 Hongkong, 28th November, 1865.

THE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messrs. BIMMERHOSS and SANDER.

For particulars apply to

GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf 883 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865.

THE premises recently occupied by Messrs. BAY & CO. Possession can be taken from 1st day of January next.

Apply to

HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

tf 2873 Hongkong, 29th November, 1865.

TWO FLOORS of the Detached House in the Queen's Road of which the Offices of the undersigned form a portion, situated at the Corners of Ice House Street and Duddell Street.

The Floors comprise Nine Rooms and four Bath Rooms, with Kitchens &c. complete, and are suitable for either Two Sets of Offices or for a Dwelling and Offices.

The Two Floors will be let together or separately.

Apply to R. S. WALKER & Co.

tf 2212 Hongkong, 25th August, 1865.

With immediate possession.

THE Property known as "ALMACK PEACE," having a frontage of Eighty three feet on Wellington and Gage Streets and of two hundred and twenty nine feet on Aberdeen Street, comprising a unserviceable area of about 19980 square feet.

Annual Ground Rent £42.12.6.

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GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf Hongkong, 24th February, 1864.

TO LET.

TWO ROOMS UNFURNISHED.

Apply 38 Wyndham Street.

1w 240 Hongkong, 6th February, 1866.

Storage.

STORAGE, can be had in Granite Godowns next to the French Consulate Duddell Street on moderate terms.

Apply to

RAY & Co.

tf 1778 Hongkong, 30th June, 1865.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE.

THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Oils and other Merchandise in their own Boats and to receive the same on Storage in first class GRANITE GODOWNS on moderate terms.

ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.

tf Hongkong, 4th March, 1865.

STORAGE.

TO Let A fine GRANITE GODOWN, in the Eastern part of Wanchi.

For particulars apply to

LANDSTEIN & Co.

tf 2727 Hongkong, 4th November, 1865.

Notices of Removal.

THE Office of the Undersigned has this day been removed to Graham Street, No. 1 corner of Queen's Road.

ARNOMANN & Co.

tf 2017 Hongkong, 5th December, 1865.

RENNYAAN BROTHERS & Co.,

REMOVED EASTWARD ON THE

Praya No. 180.

Next to Messrs Boore & Co.,

tf 2013 Hongkong, 4th December, 1865.

DR. A. SCHEYLLO will remove to Peddar's Hill in front of St. Paul's College, about the middle of February.

tf 916 Hongkong, 30th January, 1866.

MRS. TALBOT begs to announce that at the suggestion and solicitation of Friends and parents of Children in Hongkong, she has been induced to open a School for Young Ladies, and trusts that by devoting her whole attention and constant kind care to the welfare and improvement of the pupils who may be entrusted to her charge to afford every satisfaction and ensure patronage.

The course of instruction comprises all the essentials of a sound English Education, with Music, Drawing and French if desired. Terms and any other particulars may be ascertained at Mrs. Tanner's abode, viz., at the house of her parents No. 2, Lansdowne Terrace, Aberdeen Street.

Hongkong 3rd March, 1865.

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Horizontal movement, Jewelled in four holes, and all the late improvements, with a pure white enamelled dial, and elegantly engraved or engine-turned case.

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Hongkong, 16th December, 1865.

International Exhibition of 1862.

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The Animal is carefully examined, and reported on free of charge.

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tf 187 Hongkong, 27th January, 1863.

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tf 188 Hongkong, 27th January, 1866. [mwe]

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tf Hongkong, 30th October, 1865.

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TALBOT & Co

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tf 2923 Hongkong, 20th November, 1865.

KWONG-LEE,

CARTWRIGHT,

Saddle and Cabinet-Maker,

Painter, Builder, & Blacksmith.

HORSES SHOD ON MODERATE TERMS.

CAGE STREET, HONGKONG.

1w 232 Hongkong, 5th February, 1866.

THOS. W. BARRINGTON,

HOUSE, LAND and LOAN AGENT

RENTS collected and Distraint Warrants issued—Reference and Security if required

Office at Mr. BROOKS', Wyndham Street.

tf 2 Hongkong, 2nd January, 1866.

MRS. VINTON'S,

PRIVATE FAMILY BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT,

HOLLYWOOD ROAD,

Corner of Old Bailey Street, next door to the Hôtel d'Europe,

HONG KONG.

Commanding a delightful View of the Harbour.

tf 2813 Hongkong, 1st December, 1865.

YUE CHEONG,

RETAIL TEA DEALER

BEGS to inform the community that he received, his supply of New Season's Teas comprising choice Colong, Pekoe and Souchong

tf 1828 Hongkong, 8th July, 1865.

TO HOUSEKEEPERS & SHIP MASTERS.

JOHN PATERSON,

Late with Messrs LOGAN & Co.

House and Ship Plumbers, Gas Fitters and Zinc Worker.

Tanyn West, Achong's Yard, Next to Mr. LOGAN

tf 1150 Hongkong, 15th April, 1865.

WING KEE,

HONGKONG,

BENDICOTT'S BAZAAR, No. 15.

Has for Sale

COALS OF ALL KINDS.

1y 935 Hongkong, 18th March, 1865.

WIEBEKING, CHARNS & Co.

PHOTOGRAPHIC ESTABLISHMENT,

111, Queen's Road, Central,

(*Opposite the Stag Hotel.*)

OPEN FROM 9 A.M. TILL 5 P.M.,

tf 214 Hongkong, 2nd February, 1864.

IMPROVED PHOTOGRAPHS.

MESSRS. SILVEIRA & Co. beg to call the attention of the Community to their late improvements in developing and fixing PHOTOGRAPHS, and they can now with perfect confidence assert that portraits taken at their establishment are equal to any by the best European artists.

Parties having Cartes de Visite, etc., taken or not required to pay for them unless they qui è approve of the picture.

A large stock of Apparatus and Chemicals at moderate prices, always on hand; also Views of Hongkong, Canton, Macao, and Various others of North China.

tf 245 Hongkong, 6th February, 1865.

NOTICE.

THE Proprietor of the Ascot House in returning thanks to the Public for their kind and liberal patronage begs to inform them that all persons will find every comfort at his Establishment on very moderate charges as a good table is kept and every attention paid to the wants of Visitors.

Meals prepared on the shortest Notice.

Breakfast at 9 A.M.

Tiffin " 1.30 P.M.

Dinner " 8.30

Board and Lodging will be charged at the rate of Ten Dollars and fifty cents per week, and each Meal charged in proportion at a low figure.

3m 23, Hongkong, 3rd January, 1866.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned having on the 27th instant, established himself as a Gold leaf dealer in Burlamqui Street No. 1399, begs to request all Gentlemen wishing to buy Gold leaves to give him their patronage and supportou.

WOOY-YUNG-SHOP.

5w 215 Hongkong, 31st January, 1866.

FUN LUN,

PHOTOGRAPHER

Queen's Road, No. 58, Up Stairs Opposite the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

Takes Portraits, Groups, &c., in best style, also keeps constantly on hand the views of Hongkong, Canton, Hainan and other Ports of China.

tf 86 Hongkong, 2nd September, 1864

Business Announcements.

JULES FUZIERE & Co.

HAIRDRESSERS & PERFUMERS.

ALL ARTICLES OF TOILETTE

ON MODERATE PRICE.

SPECIAL SALOON

With the Patent Hair Brush Machine for CUTTING HAIR, SHAMPOOING, HAIR DYING & SHAVING.

Queen's Road Central.

JAPAN CURIOS FOR SALE.

tf 170 Hongkong, 24th January, 1866.

BOOKBINDING.

RESPECTFULLY IN PROMPT

GINDELL, Bookbinder, in returning his sincere thanks to his friends and the public for the liberal support he has hitherto received, begs most respectfully to notify that he is prepared to execute all work entrusted to his care in a first rate manner at considerably reduced prices.

All his materials are of the best English Manufacture. Books of every description bound in the neatest and most elegant styles.

A. GINDELL,

Wollington-street.

tf 971 Hongkong, 23rd March, 1865.

NOTICE.

JOHN MONDLITY, late Bar Keeper, of the Oriental Hotel, in Hongkong, has taken the House, known as the British Seaman Inn, next door to the British Hotel in Queen's Road West, where he will be happy to see his friends.

Captains and Officers of Vessels, can find good accommodation on reasonable terms. A choice selections of Wines and Liquors, constantly on hand.

3m 85 Hongkong, 10th January, 1866.

NOTICE.

DR. D. JAYNE'S

CELEBRATED FAMILY MEDICINES.

THE increased demand for these Valuable Medicines, viz.—

Expectorant,

Alterative,

Hair Tonic,

Liquid Hair Dye, &c.,

Has induced the proprietor to Establish an Agency for the sale of the same, in this Colony and they can now always be procured wholesale or retail at the MEDICAL HALL,

37 *Queen's Road.*

tf 1129 Hongkong, 13th April, 1865.

HONGKONG BAKERY.

FORABJEE NOWROJEE, begs to inform the Public, that he has established a *Bakery* Fancy Pastry, and Confectionery business on his premises, Queen's Road adjoining the offices of the P. & O. S. N. Company, and hopes from his long experience and careful attention to merit the patronage and support of the Public

Hongkong, 4th August, 1860.

Business Announcements.

FRENCH DISPENSARY.

QUEEN'S ROAD, 198, HONGKONG.

L. FIGUEIREDO & Co., actual proprietors of the above Establishment, beg respectfully to inform the Public that their Dispensary is being put in better condition to satisfy all demands in French, English, Spanish and Portuguese, as they have already received, and will periodically receive, drugs and Chemicals from the best Houses in London, Paris and Lisbon.

MR. L. FIGUEIREDO, being a Pharmaceutic-Chemist under a Royal Charter, and at present Manager of the French Dispensary, can guarantee to the Public the good quality of his drugs and hopes to deserve their patronage.

Masters of Ships will find every requisite to provide their Medicine Chests on very moderate terms.

tf 2916 Hongkong, 7th December, 1865.

A CARD.

PROFESSOR WHEELER, would respectfully attract the attention of the Hongkong Public to the importance of having the Hair Cut, and Dressed in an Artistic manner and style. Appropriate to the Individual is the cut of the Hair; there can be no fixed or prevailing fashion without destroying almost universally the harmony of the *fair ensemble*. Indeed as diverse as is the *contour* of the human head and facial outline, just so peculiar should be the trim and arrangement of the Hair. This fact is acted upon by only those Hair-Cutters who possess an inherent judgment in matters of taste, cultivated and improved by incessant study and application. Of this rare class, Professor WHEELER, humbly claims to be one, and the Only One in this Colony, and he modestly but confidently invites all who may be distrustful of his ability to give him at least a trial before pronouncing an adverse opinion. He may be found at all hours of the day in his Apartments adjoining the Private Entrance of the Oriental Hotel.

tf 1966 Hongkong, 21st July, 1865

NOTICE.

BEING obliged to leave Hongkong on account of ill health, I recommend all my patrons who wish their Hair Cut and Dressed Artistically to call on Professor Wheeler, being the only one who thoroughly understands his Profession in Hongkong.

J. W. ELLIOTT.

tf 1981 Hongkong, 21st July, 1865.

Wm. SCHMIDT & Co.,

GUN-SMITHS and MACHINISTS,

WELLINGTON STREET, NO. 33,

Opposite the Catholic Church.

ARMS of every description, GUN POWDER, PERCUSSION CAPS and CARTRIDGES FOR SALE.

Repairs executed with promptness and at moderate rates

tf 3080 Hongkong, 23rd December, 1865.

HONGKONG MARKETS.

Sales on the 7th February, 1866.

Vendor	Goods Sold	Price	Purchaser
R. S. Walker & Co.	300 pcs. T. Cloth	$ 3.85	Ko-long-wa
Mahomedbhoy & Co.	200 bales Bengal Cotton	28.00	Canton Merchant
Gibb, L. & Co.	1,000 pcs. 8 lbs. T. Cloth	3.75	Foreign do.
Borneo Co., Limited	1,000 " Turkey Red Shirtings	3.60	do.
Holliday & Co.	10 bales Nos. 28-32 Cotton Yarn	208.00	Tye-shing-wo
A. Heard & Co.	400 " Shanghai Cotton	27.50	Foreign Merchant
Po-nam-hong	80 " Tientsin do.	26.00	Tye-shing-wo
Pook-tong-shing	50 " Ningpo do.	29.10	Kin-nam
Cheremesy & Co.	150 " Foreign do.	23.00	Chune-shing
Kwong-tung-sheong	150 " Tientsin do.	27.50	Shuy-tung Merchant
Yue-hop-fat	300 bars Malacca Tin	24.70	Foreign do.
Judah & Co.	2,100 bags Bengal Rice	2.00	Shew-foong
Seinssen & Co.	13,000 pls. Singapore Rice	2.75	Wing-wo (to arrive)
Severs & Co.	10,000 " Saigon do.	3.04	Kwongloong do.
King-tye-hong	600 " Manila Sapanwood	1.68	Tsun-hing
Wing-cheong-shun	200 " Red Dates	Tl. 3.95	Tongkqoon Merchant
Ancerio-deen & Co.	80 pls. Elephants Teeth	$140.00	Yee-shun-hong
do.	29 " do.	175.00	do.
do.	2 boxes Birdsnest	110.00	Canton Merchant
Wo-lee-hong	120 pls. Red Dates	Tl. 4.00	By Retail
do.	50 bags Tientsin Vermicelli	$11.50	Kongmoon Merchant
do.	100 baskets Dichow Dried Persimons	Tl. 5.45	Macao do.

SHANGHAI LATEST QUOTATIONS.

Shanghai, Friday Evening 2nd February, 1866.

EXCHANGE.—*On London*—Bank; Rate sight, 6s. 1½d per Tl. 6 m/s sight, 6s. 3½d, to 6.3½ per Tl. Credits, 6 m/s 6s. 4½d. a 6s. 4½d.

On Paris—Credits 6 m/s sight, Fcs. 7.97½ per Tl. Documents 6 m/s sight Fcs. 8.02½ per Tls.

On Calcutta—Bank Bills, accepted 34/s. Rs. 298.

On Bombay—Bank Bills, accepted 30/s. Rs. 287.

On Hongkong—Bank 4/s. 27 per cent disct.; Private 5 d/s. 2½ per cent disct.

BULLION.—Mex. Dollars, Tl. 7.15. Carolus, Tl. 7.2. Gold Bars, 98 touch, Tls 161.5. Bar Silver Tls 111. Copper Cash, 1,310 per Tl.

OPIUM.—*Malwa, New*, Tls